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## W. L. JOHNSON HAS HIS 500TH COUPLE

MARYVILLE'S MARRYING JUSTICE SET RECORD YESTERDAY

### 22 YEARS AT THE WORK

**Last Month Was His Record, With Nine Weddings; Only One So Far In October**

Justice Warren L. Johnson, Maryville's marrying judge, made it half a thousand yesterday.

For almost exactly a month he has been waiting anxiously for that 500th couple to turn up. On September 30, he married his 499th couple, and put down a bright red 500 mark on his record book for the next.

Just to show you the uncertainty of the marriage business in Maryville, the judge—who married nine couples in September—had to wait until yesterday afternoon, October 29, before Miss L. V. Gray of Aurora, Mo. and L. A. Young of Auburn, Neb., knocked at his office door and applied to be the first for October and the 500th in the judge's marrying career.

The judge's 499th couple a month ago was composed of Delbert Wilder of Onawa, Ia., formerly of this county, and Gladys Johnson of Sloan, Iowa. The judge is used to Iowa weddings, but he can't account for the wedding yesterday, in which he united Nebraska and southern Missouri. They made a mighty nice couple, he says, but they were some distance from home. N. N. Daniels, who came with them, was recorded as the witness to the wedding.

Judge Johnson, who is 75 years old, a native of Ross county, Ohio, and a Civil War veteran, came to Nodaway county in 1865, at the close of the war, and has spent all the rest of his life in the county. For a short period prior to 1897 he was a justice of the peace, but his last continuous service dates from April, 1897, and covers a period of more than twenty-two years. Although he married a few couples in his first service as justice, Judge Johnson didn't really get into the habit, he says, until he started on his second term, which has lasted until now.

The judge has had any number of unique experiences in his quarter century of marrying, but the couple he recalls best of all is the first couple he married—the very first—when he was unused to the ceremony and didn't know how to go about it. He had just qualified and was moving his office when the proprietor of the City Hotel — at that time occupying the buildings east of the present location of the Maryville Drug Company at Fourth and Main—summoned him over for some special business and advised him to put on his coat, even if it was a warm day.

The newly installed judge responded and found awaiting him his first couple—a man about 60 and a woman about 50. They were both from Iowa, and the judge says they must have started the habit, for much of his business has been from Iowa since then. About four or five years ago nearly all of them came from Iowa, he says, from the vicinity of Bedford, Clarinda and Shenandoah.

The judge doesn't recall how he succeeded with his first wedding, but he got through it somehow, he says. After that it seemed to come easier.

The judge hasn't any book to read from or anything like that. He does his marrying right out of his head. He has three or four forms he follows, he says, but they all end up about the same. The judge says he has never omitted the word "obey" in the promise a bride to make. He asks them to promise to "love, honor and support," and he does not omit the bride with the exception of the last word. A good many women inquire about the "obey" provision, and most of them seem to feel relieved when the judge tells them he leaves it out. One bride from Iowa didn't inquire about it beforehand, but the omission was the first thing she called her husband's attention to afterward. She impressed the judge as having a mind of her own.

The judge has married 'em old and young, sick and well, black and white. Most of his weddings have been right in his office, but a good many times he is invited out. Nobody has backed out on him in the ceremony, he says, but he married one couple that the bridegroom had to do some coaxing to arrange, and they separated inside of twenty-four hours.

Last month was Judge Johnson's record month, when he married nine couples. His average has been about twenty-three wedding a year. Ten lines in his record book, with the number at the top in red ink, take care of each wedding. There is a nice blank space in waiting now, with the number 501 at the op.

Who's next?


State Historical Society COLUMBIA


## NEW MEAT MARKET HERE TO BE ON NORTH SIDE SQUARE

**E. H. Bainum Will Open in the Baker Building Saturday; Has a Mr. Butcher to Do It**

E. H. Bainum will open his meat market Saturday in the Baker building on the north side of the square. The building has been remodeled on interior and all of the latest fixtures such as the Hussman refrigerator freezer counters have been installed to keep the meats clean and cold. W. E. Butcher of Clearfield, Ia., will be the meat cutter.

**Mrs Smiley Leaves.**

Mrs. Phil Smiley left this morning for her home in Los Angeles, Calif., after a visit of several weeks with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Martin, and Mr. Smiley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smiley. Her sister, Miss Mabel Martin, accompanied her to St. Joseph.

William Cassell of Maryville, accompanied by his brother, Conrad, of Imogent, Ia., who has been visiting here, went to Imogene last night on a short business trip.


**ELECTRIC THEATER**
TONIGHT
Hale Hamilton in "In His Brother's Place" A five act comedy drama. Also Harold Lloyd comedy
Night 7:30-9:00 11c-17c
FRIDAY, OCT. 31.
"Smashing Barriers" Episode No. 6 "Downward to Doom". Also Big "V" Comedy Jazz and Jail Birds.
Matinee at 4:10 6c-11c
Ngiht at 7:30 -8:45 11c-17c


**M. W. A. ATTENTION**

Business of importance to be transacted at tonight's meeting.

A full attendance is desired.

F. W. Smith, V. C.
A. W. Hawkins, Clerk


# Hallowe'en Party Elks Club

## Thursday, Oct. 30--8 p.m.

CARDS AND DANCING

For all Elks, their families and friends.

This is the first of a series of parties. We want a big, jolly bunch. Don't stay home because you have a grouch. We kill or cure.

C. G. VOGT. A. NEIL SOMERVILLE.


## CHURCH CAMPAIGN WORKERS CHOSEN

LIST ANNOUNCED FOR CHRISTIAN DRIVE IN COUNTY

### QUOTA NOT YET FIXED

**A Minute Man and a Finance Man for Each Congregation; R. E. Snodgrass Leader**

Although the quota has not been announced yet for Nodaway County, the county Christian church organization has been formed for the campaign to raise $2,000,000 in Missouri for the six Christian colleges of the state, which was launched in this county at the banquet in Maryville night before last. As soon as the quota is set—before that, perhaps—the work of stirring up the interest in the nineteen churches of the county will begin.

Each church is to have its own special organization, with a minute man to speak on the proposal at every service the church has and a finance man to attend to the collections. The state organization for the campaign, headed by Colonel Fred W. Fleming, has begun the publication of a weekly bulletin called "The Missouri Movement," which is devoted to giving information for the minute men who are appointed Rev. George W. Maxwell of Rock Port is team manager for the twenty-three counties in District 7 in Northwest Missouri, and G. B. Roseberry of Maryville is financial chairman for the same district.

The county organization which was formed at the banquet is headed by Rev R. E. Snodgrass of Maryville as county pastor leader; Judge J. H. Sayler, as county minute man; and U. S. Wright as county finance man.

The nineteen churches of the county, with a total membership of 3,000, have the following assignments:

Pickering—
Minute Man ..... C. R. Harmon
Finance Man ..... Vern Fakes
Hopkins—
Minute Man ..... Ben F. Kelley
Finance Man ..... Oscar Mutti
Burlington Junction—
Minute Man ..... Homer Carmichael
Finance Man ..... A. O. Lincoln
Clearmont—
Minute Man ..... Ira Newlon
Finance Man ..... John Clary
Bethany—
Minute Man ..... L. C. Burns
Finance Man ..... Clark Goff
Salem—
Minute Man ..... M. P. Ross
Finance Man ..... O. K. Smith
Gaynor—
Minute Man ..... Burt Grimmit
Finance Man ..... Truman Young
Arkoe—
Minute Man ..... J. E. Wyatt
Finance Man ..... James Goff
Bedison—
Minute Man ..... Thos. Young
Finance Man ..... Matt Guinn
Skidmore—
Minute Man ..... W. O. Reynolds
Finance Man ..... L. D. Jordan
Quitman—
Minute Man ..... Gene Springer
Finance Man ..... Alex Slack
Wilcox—
Minute Man ..... Clint Adams
Finance Man ..... Earl Duncan
Ravenwood—
Minute Man ..... Ariza Loomis
Finance Man ..... Henry McMullen
Palestine—
Minute Man ..... Will Gex
Finance Man ..... Wm. Mountjoy
Elmo—
Minute Man ..... Jno. S. Woo
Finance Man ..... Geo. Shoptaugh
Graham—
Minute Man ..... John Wilson
Finance Man ..... James Kavanaugh
Barnard—
Minute Man ..... Roy Cook
Finance Man ..... Dr. Pollard
Guilford—
Minute Man ..... W. I. Carter
Finance Man ..... C. C. Hocker
Maryville—
Minute Man ..... A. S. Robey
Finance Man ..... J. F. Roelofson

**Hampshire Hog Brings Record.**

St. Louis, Oct. 30.—Thomas W. Garland of St. Louis, has sold Virginia, said to be the highest priced pure bred Hampshire hog in the world, to Charles Patten of Clarence, Ill., for $2,125, at a sale at his ranch at Jonesburg, Mo. A total of 42 animals sold brought $11,000. Virginia II, a six-months-old gilt, selling for $1,000, and Garland's King, a young boar, bringing $950.

## COAL SITUATION HERE WILL BE SERIOUS AFTER STR E

**Supplies Are Short, Most of Dealers Being Out; Water and Light Have Some**

Maryville, in company with the rest of the country, is going to be up against it hard and fast if the coal strike becomes a reality. Supplies on hand here are small, and the bogey of confiscation by the railroads hangs over that which is in transit here.

Of the coal dealers, J. H. Gray is out of coal and stopped his advertisement today. He has two cars coming, he thinks, but a car in the hand is worth several on the road at this critical time.

The Shoemaker-Bovard company says it is in no position to stand a coal strike. Seven cars of coal on the track here have been contracted for, and so have all the cars in transit. Three cars were confiscated by the railroads just the other day.

William Everhart has been out of coal for three or four days. He has ten or twelve cars on the way, but hasn't much hope of getting them if the strike order goes into effect.

Glover & Alexander have none here, and fear that that which they have on the way may be confiscated. If they do get coal, they figure, it will cost more, anyway, as the demands of the miners will boost the price.

The city water works probably will run for a week or two all right, as a car of coal is here and the bill has been received for another due to arrive in a few days. The city uses about a car a week.

The Maryville Electric Light & Power Company has none too much, but the plant is good to run for three of four weeks if the coal now on the way gets here. Enough is on hand for a week. The company intends to begin burning oil under its boilers in the near future.

## GOVERNOR GARDNER ISSUES A PROCLAMATION ON RED CROSS

**Calls Upon Citizens to Support Roll Call Membership Drive November 2-11**

Governor Frederick D. Gardner has just issued the following proclamation:

State of Missouri Executive Department.

PROCLAMATION

The American Red Cross will again appeal for support in the "Third Red Cross Call Campaign" beginning November 2 and ending November 11, Armistice Day. The great work of the Red Cross did not end with the cessation of hostilities; indeed, the pressing necessity for its humanitarian ministrations continues.

During four years there was a most tremendous expenditure of energy for the destruction of the world. It will take the healing processes many years to cure the wounds and bring the world back to normality in mind and action. Confidence between nations must be restored. The spirit of sympathy and mutual helpfulness, so essential to the peace and happiness of mankind, must be encouraged and strengthened by every agency.

The Red Cross is the most potent and powerful agency for the doing of this most important work. It should appeal to every lover of humanity and friend of the oppressed.

THEREFORE, I, FREDERICK D. GARDNER, GOVERNOR of the Commonwealth of Missouri, do hereby request that the people of the state set aside the aforesaid period from November 2 to 11, inclusive for the Roll Call Campaign. Let every community join in this noble work and give every citizen now a memer an opportunity to renew his or her membership and those not enrolled, the honor of joining the organization.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri.

DONE at the City of Jefferson this 20th day of September, A. D., 1919.

(Signed) FREDERICK D. GARDNER.
By the Governor:
(Signed) JOHN L. SULLIVAN.
Secretary of State.

**A Rupert Hughes Story.**

Maryville is full of admirers of Major Rupert Hughes, who have read his short stories and novels in various leading magazines and in book form for years. These admirers will be interested in the photoplay version of Major Hughes' masterpiece, "The Unpardonable Sin," which is to be presented at the Empire theatre, beginning Oct 31 - Nov. 1. The big picture was made by Harry Garson, starring Blanche Sweet, under the personal election of Marshall Neilan.

## WHOLESALE PRICE OF SUGAR GOES UP

RISE IN MARYVILLE TODAY IS 97 CENTS A HUNDRED POUNDS

### PURCHASES ARE LIMITED

**Beet Product Only Kind In Local Markets; Eastern Refiners Now Sell In the East**

The wholesale price of sugar in Maryville this morning advanced 97 cents on the hundred pounds, making the price to the local retailers $11.07 a hundred, an advance of nearly a cent a pound. This in all probability will mean that the price to the consumer will advance at least a cent a pound.

The shortage continues, each grocer being alloted one 100-pound sack a week and doling it out to his customers a pound or two at a purchase. Some grocers refuse to sell to any but their old established customers, and all are united in limiting their sales very closely.

Beet sugar is the only kind that now is being sold in this part of the country, and it costs the wholesaler $10 a hundred pounds at the factory. According to a statement issued recently by the sugar distributing committee at New York, "in continuing the shipments west of Pittsburgh and Buffalo until October 15, eastern refiners stayed in the western territory two weeks longer than was done in 1917 and 1918. On account of the longshoremen's strike in New York harbor, refiners here are not operating and before they can resume and get shipments west, beets certainly should be in free supply.

"In discontinuing shipments west of Pittsburgh and Buffalo, refiners acted under positive instructions from the United States food administration who were forced to take this position because the east has a scant and the west an ample supply. Roughly there will be approximately 800,000 tons of beet sugar produced in this country before January 1, and there is a population of about fifty million in the territory that it must supply.

"Against this we have approximately only 250,000 tons of cane sugar available between now and January 1, with a population of thirty-three million in the territory to be supplied. This means that with a supply of beet sugar more than three times greater than that of the eastern cane refiners the beet sugar interests will cover between now and January 1 a territory with only fifty per cent greater population.

"From now on until January 1 first sugar will be distributed in the east on approximately the same basis as was in effect under the restrictions imposed in September and October, 1918.

"Diminished supplies are the result of heavy consumption in the United States since January 1."

## SENDS OUT PRICE LISTS FOR FURS ALL OVER THE COUNTRY

**Charles Jensen of Maryville Does Fur Business in All Parts of the United States**

Charles Jensen, the Maryville fur merchant with the international business, is again at his business of making himself known all over the country and incidentally boosting Maryville as a little city with big possibilities. Mr. Jensen, to whose activities attention has previously been called, is busy just now sending out his first price list of a monthly series he issues during the winter. The present issue will go to every state in the Union.

Mr. Jensen gets furs from nearly everywhere, there being only one or two states in the United States he has not got shipments from. In his shop now he has furs from two wolves killed in Old Mexico.

Althoug New York City is full of fur houses, Mr. Jensen says, he got one shipment all the way from the Bronx there—one skunk fur and one cat fur. Another shipment was from Brookline, Mass.

Practically all of Mr. Jensen's furs are sold right here in Maryville, buyers coming here to look them over. At the end of the season he ships to St. Louis the few remaining in stock.

He says it is necessary to get out a new price list once a month, as the prices of furs change rapidly.

## ANTHRACITE MINERS MAY HAVE SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

**Action Is to Be Expected If Government Enforces Operation of Mines, Leader Says**

Washington, Oct., 30.—A strike of 150,000 anthracite coal miners in sympathy with the bituminous workers may be expected if the government undertakes prosecution of the officials of the mine workers or attempts to compel operation of the mines by the use of the army, Edgar Wallace, Washington representative of the mine workers, declared today.

## HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL GAME FOR TOMORROW IS POSTPONED

**Local Team Will Play at Savannah Monday Instead; List of Men Chosen to Go**

The football game scheduled for tomorrow afternoon at Savannah between the Savannah and Maryville High School teams has been postponed until Monday afternoon. The Maryville team is in good condition for the game. If the weather is good, they will drive down in motor cars. The following men have been chosen to make the trip: Carstens, Campbell, Boatman, Kirby, Gray, King, Williams, Barry, Allen, Miller, Foreman, French, Moore, Hull, Price, Clark and L. E. Ziegler.

## HEALTH CONVENTION FINDS IT HAS NO CURE FOR "FLU"

**Meeting at New Orleans Resolves to Prevent Complications Where Possible**

New Orleans, Oct. 29.—Because of the scarcity of specific knowledge of influenza, the American Public Health convention in general session here today had no definite plan to forestall the recurrence of the epidemic this year and approved the plan of Dr. Allen B. Freeman, Ohio state health commissioner, to center its efforts to prevent complications resulting from the disease.

Several delegates voiced the opinion that the epidemic would appear this winter and that a comprehensive plan for preventing in could not be detailed until more definite information was available.

**Russian White Army Advances.**

London, Oct. 30. — General Denikene's "White Army" on the South Russian front has captured the important city of Orel from the Bolsheviki and has resumed their advance on Moscow.

**Barnard M. E. Church.**

The revival meetings that were held at the Barnard M. E. Church closed last Monday night with a good interest. A splendid interest was manifested all through with large audiences each night. The church was awakened to new interest and those who had grown cold were revived and twenty new members were added to the roll. Dr. Cameron Harmon, president of Missouri Wesleyan College, assisted the pastor eight nights. His sermons were greatly appreciated. Tonight at 7:30 o'clock we shall hold a "get acquainted" meeting. The pastor will lecture on "Experiences of the Sea." There will be special music. Come and enjoy a social time with us. All are cordially invited.

ARTHUR S. OLSEN, Pastor.

**Miss Farrell Better.**

Miss Ella Farrell ,who is at St. Francis hospital suffering from injuries received Saturday evening when run down by an automobile, is improving today.

**Mrs. Rogers Sells Home.**

Mrs. Carrie A. Rogers sold her residence, 710 North Walnut street, yesterday to Joseph V. Pugh of Guilford. The consideration was $5,000. Mrs. Rogers and daughter, Miss Mabel Rogers, expect to spend the winter in the south and west.

The Philomatheans will entertain with a masquerade Halloween party tonight in the kindergarten rooms at the State Teachers College. There will about thirty present.

## U. S. TAKES STEPS TO MEET STRIKE

CABINET WAS CALLED INTO SPECIAL SESSION TODAY

### TO RESTORE MAXIMUM

**Regulation of Prices Step In Government Action; Confiscation In Transit Authorized**

BULLETIN.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 30. — The mine workers reject President Wilson's plea for settlement.

Washington, Oct. 30.—The maximum prices of coal will be restored as one of the government's steps to meet the coal strike situation, Attorney General Palmer announced this afternoon, following a meeting of the president's cabinet. Upon making that order the fuel administration will take such action as is necessary to protect the consumers, both as to prices and distribution.

Palmer stated that the government officials would await action by the president before taking any further steps.

Secretary Baker announced today that the "army is ready for any emergency."

Washington, Oct. 30. — Seizure of coal now in transit has been authorized by the railroad administration.

Indianapolis, Oct. 30.—The president and cabinet have rendered settlement impossible before the strike of hundreds of thousands of soft coal miners in this country becomes effective at midnight Friday, John Lewis, acting president of the mine workers, declared today. "We still stand ready to negotiate with the operators without reservation," Lewis declared, "but the administration has made it unnecessary for the operators to settle."

Washington, Oct. 30.—The wheels of the federal government are turning fast today to parry the possible effect upon the nation of the great coal strike pronounced to start Friday night. The cabinet was called into special session to deal with the situation. It was understood that a formal order transferring powers of the fuel administration to the railroad administration will be issued during the day. It was learned at the White House that this order includes the power of confiscation of coal at maximum prices to be fixed on the basis of the last fixed price during the war.

**Mrs. F. S. King Red Cross Director.**

Mrs. F. S. King of Maryville has been named campaign director for Polk township in the national Red Cross roll call drive for membership which will be held from November 2 to 11. C. E. Wells of the State Teachers College is county chairman of the campaign, final plans for which are now being made.

**Mrs. Wilcox, Noted Writer, Dead.**

Short Beach, Conn., Oct. 30.—Mrs. Ella Wheeler Wilcox, noted poetess and writer, died here today.

**To Punish the Germans.**

Paris, Oct. 30.—The allied supreme council today decided to impose full reparations upon Germany for the sinking of the German fleet at Scapa Flow, where it was interned.

**Booms Johnson for President.**

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 30.—State Auditor Knapp has started the first organized boom for Senator Johnson of California for the Republican nomination for president.

**Weather for Today**

Rain probable tonight and Friday; warmer in the east and colder in the northwest portion tonight; colder Friday.


# EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

Shirley Mason, with Ernest Truex, in "GOOD BYE, BILL," A delightful comedy drama. Also Mutt & Jeff Comedy. 10c-1c, 15c-2c.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Blanche Sweet, Sweet as ever with an all star cast in Rupert Hughes' astounding story "THE UNPARDONABLE SIN" Here is a recital of the love and adventure of two typical Americans. This story has received no adverse criticisms.

—Also present Fatty Arbuckle Friday. 10c-1c, 31c-4c.

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**For Representative in Congress.**

I hereby announce myself a Democratic candidate for Representative in Congress, Fourth Congressional District, Missouri, subject to primary election, first Tuesday in August, 1920. ROBERT I. YOUNG.

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**Rent Increase in 5 Years 30%.**

Boston, Oct. 29.—With reference to the Increased Cost of shelter in this country, as between July, 1914, and July, 1919, the national industrial conference board, in its recent research report, states that, as a broad average, the rent increase, taking population distribution into account, would be somewhere below 30 per cent. Reports from 155 cities of varying sizes are the foundation of the report. The largest single group of cities is the one in which rent increases for the entire five year period fall between 21 per cent and 30 per cent. In 28 cities the increase for the five year period falls between 31 per cent and 40 per cent, and in 11 cities between 41 per cent and 50 per cent. Local conditions play a large part in the changes in the cost of shelter, percentages varying not only in different cities but in different districts and classes of houses in the same city.

**Airplane Duck Hunter Hurt.**

Chico, Calif., Oct. 29—Hunting ducks in an airplane is the latest California sport, but it has proven disastrous for Lieutenant O. W. Merwin. Merwin was flying only five feet above waving rice fields here hot on the trail of some mallards when his engine went dead. Because he was so low he crashed into the ground. He was thrown into a marsh and escaped with only bruises and a lacerated nose.

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At All Drug Stores


## STATE INSTITUTIONS ARE TO SUFFER BY THE COAL STRIKE

**Penitentiary One of Few That Has a Supply; Governor Is Watching the Situation**

Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 29.—That great hardship will be suffered by inmates of state institutions if the threatened strike of soft coal miners materializes on Nov. 1, has been revealed through inquiry here. It was learned that the penitentiary is one of the few insititutions of the state which is well supplied with coal.

In announcing yesterday afternoon that he stood "ready and willing to co-operate with President Wilson" in any action he takes in the coal strike situation, Gov. Gardner declared that thousand of inmates of state institutions, including many insane and tubercular patients would suffer untold hard ship.

"I am watching the strike developments with a great deal of interest and anxiety, not only because of the suffering it may bring to the people generally, but because of the state institutions.

"These institutions, sheltering thousands of helpless persons, insane and tubercular unfortunates, live from hand to mouth so far as coal is concerned. None of them has a great amount stored and a strike if long continued would be disasterous to them."

Governor Gardner indicated that he might later issue a formal statement to the people of Missouri regarding the strike situation.

**Would Ration British Drinkers.**

London, Oct. 29.—"I believe universal prohibition would foster Bolshevism for in effect it means one law for the poor man and another for the rich. "In America every rich man has his cellar full, while the only stimulants available for the poor man as such horrible things as varnish and methylated spirits So says Mr. Cyril Maude, the famous actor, who has just returned from the United States. He continues: 'Although I profoundly dislike prohibition I am afraid it is coming in this country. I think the best solution of the trouble would be a system of rationing ,every man being supplied with 'ration cards' for drink.''

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

## U. S. PUT A STOP TO LAND BOOMING

GOVERNMENT DISCOURAGED IN FLATION IN MIDDLE WEST

### IOWA CHIEF SUFFERER

**Wild Trading and Fictitious Values There Reacted Unfavorably on Neighboring States**

Washington, Oct. 28.—The government, through the department of agriculture, has just put an effective stop to the land boom that has been carried on throughout the Middle West for several months. This boom, which was basing the price of farm lands on fictitious and inflated values, was particularly troublesome in the state of Iowa, where land went as high at $400 an acre. In once case in particular, a tract of land valued at only $25 an acre twenty-five years ago, and certainly not worth more than $75 an acre at this time, was held and actually sold at $395 an acre.

The theory of the government, which investigated the land situation in that section shortly after the boom got under way, was that the speculation that was driving the land values up would tend to increase the cost of farm produced food over that entire area of the Central West. The stand taken by the bureau of farm management of the department of agriculture, the bureau that uncovered the fictitious character of the boom, was that if farm values went up to an inflated price the cost of foods and other products from the area affected would correspondingly have to soar so as to insure the farmer or investor a fair percentage of return on the money invested in his lands.

**Agents Made Investigation.**

Investigating agents were at once dispatched to the area affected and a search was made for the causes behind the abnormal boom. It was found that the section particularly around the state of Iowa was suffering from a land speculation fever that was infectious and was rapidly spreading to neighboring states. Realty operators were encouraging sales and investors were buying with the hopes of "unloading" their new purchases almost immediately at exorbitant profit. In one county the boom went like wildfire, ending in the sale and resale of 48 farms within the county in a comparatively short period. These sales were made in all but one case on paper alone, with the exception of moderate option fees paid on most of the properties to hold them for the speculator.

Several reasons have been advanced for the speculation fever that existed, but as yet no definite reasons have been assigned. It has been reported that considerable talking was done about the existence somewhere in the area affected of oil and mineral deposits, but this proved to be gossip that could not be placed on anybody's shoulders.

**Affected Other States, too.**

North Dakota also felt some effects of the boom, but it was a more normal increased valuation in this state. Many of the Iowa farmers who had sold out their interests at home went into North Dakota and neighboring states and offered very pleasing figures for farms. In one known case a farm in North Dakota, held at what was considered the high market value of $18,000, was sought by one of the Iowa farmers and an initial offer of $20,000 for the place was made almost on sight. Through such transactions, slightly more solid in character than the boom, a number of farms in the Central West have been sold at a comfortable return in the past few months.

As soon as it was discovered that the boom was wholly fictitious the federal agents and others having the best interest of the community at heart began to make public the facts of the case. For a while there was a loud cry from the realty sharks, but it died down as the farming interest of the state and the would-be purchasers began to see the real light of the situation and things are rapidly returning to normal. There is still some speculation going on but it is believed that the dangerous element of the boom that threatened to upset values over that entire area of the country has now been wiped out.


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DRESSES

Great Sale of Dresses

Friday and Saturday, October 31 and November 1

WE will sell one lot of fine high-class dresses in tricotines, tricolettes, georgettes, serges, satins, etc.

Many of these dresses are worth up to $69.50. Your choice Friday and Saturday of this wonderful collection will be only

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THE STORE QUALITY AND LOW PRICES BUILT

**FINES JUST ABOUT RUINED THIS HUNTER**

Ashland, Wis., Oct. 28.—Persons inclined to protest because of high cost of living has boosted the price of a meal to a dollar or so, probably will receive scant sympathy from Emil Johnson, janitor of the local high school.

Johnson went out recently to obtain a meal for his family. He got the food.

Here is what happened:

A game warden arrested Johnson within the city limits. The former declared in municipal court that he found two partridges and a grouse in Johnson's possession. Johnson was convicted. He was fined:

Five dollars for each partridge.

Five dollars for the grouse.

Fifty dollars for violating the city hunting laws.

His shotgun was confiscated.

So was his bicycle.

And his hunting license was taken from him.

Johnson declined to talk for publication.

**Would Have City Keep New Time.**

St. Louis, Oct. 28.—St. Louis is going to be one hour ahead of the rest of the country if Alderman Barney L. Schwartz has his way. Schwartz has presented the board of aldermen with a little bundle of debate in the shape of a bill providing that daylight saving, nationally suspended by act of congress at 2 a. m., Sunday, Oct. 26, shall be retained in St. Louis.

**New Judge to Take Office Nov. 1.**

St. Louis, Oct. 27. — Judge R. L. Goode, who has been appointed by Governor Gardner to the vacancy in the supreme court caused by the recent death of Chief Justice Henry W. Bond, will take the oath of office November 1, he announced today. Judge Goode has resigned as dean of the Washington University law school.

**Favors Wedding Rings for Men.**

London, Oct. 29.—Miss Damer Dawson, chief of London's women police suggests that "it should be compulsory for every married man to wear a wedding ring." This is to be a means of preventing, or let us say reducing bigamy. Her proposal is not well received by married men, for some strange reason. One, writing in a prominent English paper, argues with great force and conciseness that a man can easily slip the ring off when he meets a captivating maid, therefore what's the use? Better make them wear a slave anklet.

If you have rheumatism come and get our remedy for it. The longer you wait the worse off you become.

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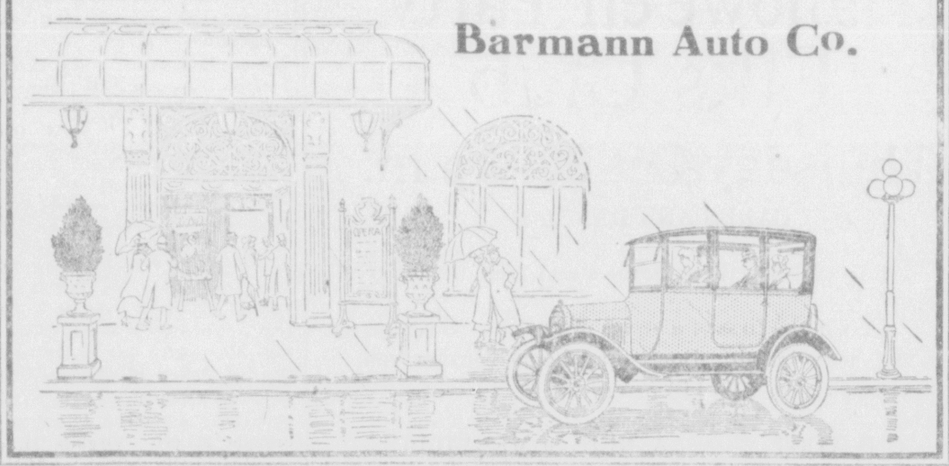


# U. S. Will Use in 1919 One-Fourth of the World's Sugar Production

In view of the current excitement over the sugar situation it is important to look at these facts:

1. The figures now available for September show that there has been delivered into domestic consumption in the period January-September, 1919, the enormous total of 3,263,000 long tons refined sugar as against 2,661,000 tons in the same period of 1918, an increase of 600,000 tons, or 1,344,000,000pounds—a 22.5 per cent increase. This is entirely independent of our exports.

2. The pre-war average consumption for this period is about 2,900,000 tons, so that this year we have consumed over 350,000 tons more than normal, an increase of 12 per cent.

3. This means that there has been delivered into domestic consumption in the first nine months almost as much sugar as in the whole of 1918—(the 1918 consumption was 3,400,000 tons, while in the first nine months of this year it was 3,263,000 tons).

4. The per capita consumption in these nine months has been 70 pounds, as against 73 pounds for the whole year 1918 and 83 pounds for the whole of 1917.

5. Figures do not always express the actual fact; it is best to use comparisons. The consumption for the whole year of 1919 (which will probably be 4,100,000 long tons) will be over one-half of the world's total exportable surplus for 1919 and over one-quarter of the total world's sugar production. This statement expresses the situation better than figures can express it.

6. In spite of this shortage, there remains sufficient sugar to supply to the domestic trade about 400,000 tons of refined cane sugar, 75,000 tons of Louisiana sugars and 400,000 tons of beet sugars—all of this for the last quarter of 1919, a total of 875,000 tons. This amount added to what has already been distributed will give a consumption for 1919 of 4,100,000 long tons as against 3,400,000 tons in 1918 and a maximum of 3,800,000 tons in 1915. There remains, therefore, 100,000 tons more sugar for distribution in the last quarter of 1919 than in 1918.

7. Conclusion: In spite of a world shortage of nearly 2,000 tons in the world production, as compared to normal the American people have been supplied with one-quarter of the world's exportable surplus—while all the rest of the world, including our former allies, France, England and Italy, are all on short rations clamoring for sugar.

All this sugar has been supplied at a wholesale price of 8.82 cents per pound and the retail price of about 11½cents per pound, while French people pay 16.8 cents wholesale, England 12½ cents and other countries much higher prices.

American people want even more sugar than they have received. The question arises as to whether we have the moral right to take away out of the world's "sugar cake" more than we have already taken, even if more sugars were available.

## MISSOURI INDUSTRIAL REVIEW.

Kansas City.—Plans have been perfected for a $5,000,000 twenty-five story 1,200-room hotel.

The contract has been let for a $100,000 six-story commercial building.

Sleepy Hollow.—Construction work has begun on roads in this vicinity.

Fulton.—Contract let for a power house and heating plant at Westminster College.

Princeton business men have just completed a cold storage plant.

Hannibal.—A 1,100-pound hog sold for $11,100—the highest price ever paid in the state.

Nevada.— Apecan ranch of 1,493 acres near the city has been sold for $126,905.

Haigart. — The Missouri Iron and Steel Company is erecting a big blast furnace and charcoal retorts.

Better wages and working conditions were never obtained by a brick and dynamite brigade, but by an honest leader, capable of tempering the action of his followers, and who didn't get red and beller at the sight of a rolltop desk.

Cassoile.—A tannery is the latest industry here.

Kohoka.—Local capitalists have a patent on a "puncture proof" tire and will open a factory.

West Plains.—A creamery company organizes with $50,000 capital.

The St. Joseph Public Elevator Company incorporates with $200,000 capital.

A Poplar Bluff farmer gets $309.68 for a single load of cotton.

Other counties may boast of their ever increasing numbers of motor cars but Callaway is prouder because it is still supreme in the production of mules. Competition was keen at the mule show in Fulton, but finally Callaway mules triumphed over the best from Boone and Adrain counties. When Callaway begins to boast more of its cars than it does of its mules the beginning of the end of Mr. Mule has come.

Kansas City.—The first day's deposits at the Columbia National bank totaled $1,811,000.

A golf club of 140 acres has been added to the city's recreation enterprises.

Monett. — The $20,000 McDonald county road bond carries.

Richmond.—A total of 769 cars of coal, 40 cars of wheat and 17 cars of live stock were shipped in September.

Joplin.—Apple shipments from the Ozarks show 100 per cent increase over last year.

West Plains.—The Howell County Creamery and Ice Company opens for business.

Fredericktown. — Madison county $325,000 road bond issues carries; $445,000 will be spent building 50 miles of highway from St. Francois county to Wayne county line.

Joplin.—The corner stone has been laid on the new Y. M. C. A. home.

Poplar Bluff.—A 500 acre rice farm yields 20,000 bushels. Net profit $70,000.

Columbia.—The School of Journalism building at the State University is nearing completion.

Kansas City.—Plans have been projected for a $100,000 tractor factory to be built here.

Jefferson City. — The state's estimated corn yield is 159,671,000 bushels.

Independence.—A 46-acre farm near the city has sold for $13,650.

De Witt.—The Norborn Land Drainage district plan for reorganizing and extending the boundaries of the district and for a new system of drainage embracing practically all of the low lands between Hardin and Carrollton has been settled favorably.

Poplar Bluff.—A contract has been let to build 15 1-3 miles of turnpike, including a bridge, to cost $461,615.73.

Kansas City.—The old Turner Hall is to be razed and replaced by a store building.

St. Joseph.—Plans have been perfected to build a $400,000 Methodist hospital.

The Liberty Light Company is to build transmission lines to Richmond, Lexington and Missouri City.

Kennett.—A tract of 14,000 acres, timber land, known as the "Buder tract," has sold for $75,000.

Jefferson City.—The state's 1919 cotton yield, 70,000 bales from 121,000 acres.

Pleasant Hill.—A new brick edifice erected by the Baptist church has been completed.

Poplar Bluff.—South B street is to be graveled.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown dur i.g the illness and death of our beloved mother and wife. 30.

Mrs. H. O. Porter
H. C. Smith.

## AMERICAN ROYAL THIS YEAR SHOW OF GRAND CHAMPIONS

### Entries Have Won Honors In Other Events; 62 Hereford, 23 Shorthorn Herds Entered

The 1919 American Royal Live Stock Show, which will be held at Convention Hall, Kansas City, Nov. 15 to 22, is essentially a grand champion show this year, for a majority of the cattle to be shown this year have been over the different sectional fair circuits and have won their honors to date in hotly contested show ring events.

Sixty-two Hereford herds will be represented. Of this number twenty have never been represented at the American Royal before, and would probably not have been entered this year except for the splendid showing facilities offered at Convention Hall. This means that more than 600 Herefords will be shown at the 1919 American Royal.

Twenty-three Shorthorn herds have been entered and this makes a total of 250 individual Shorthorns to be shown at the American Royal this year. The full list of Aberdeen Angus entries is not available as yet, but at least ten herds and 200 individuals will be shown at Convention Hall, Nov. 15 to 22.

Jackson, county, Mo., will contribute more cattle to the American Royal this year than any three counties in the United States combined, for it is the center of the greatest pure bred live stock section of the United States, or the world, for that matter.

The states to be represented this year at the American Royal are Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, North and South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, Mississippi. Two or three Canadian provinces will send show cattle to the Royal this year.

The aggregate value of all cattle shown will be in excess of two million dollars, and at one period of the show week there will be more than one million dollars worth of pure bred beef cattle in the ring at one time.

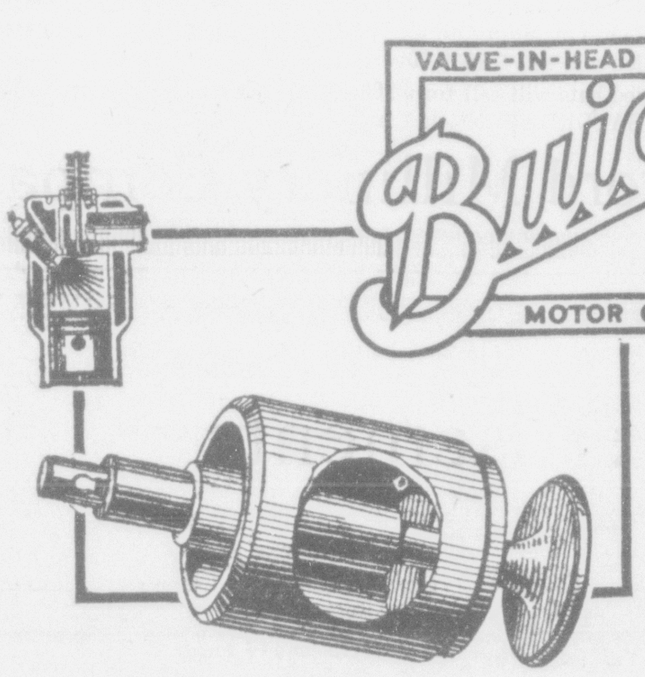
The aggregate value of all prizes at the Royal this year, including the handsome silver trophies offered, is in excess of $25,000. The trophies are six in number and are offered, three by the Kansas City Stock Yards Company, and one by the W. R. Nelson estate of Kansas City, one by Senor Caledonia Perda, Buenos Aires, Argentine Republic, and Charles M. Duggan, also of Buenos Aires, Argentine. Cash prizes are in excess of $20,000.

The car lot show of fat steers and heifers will be held at the Kansas City Stock Yards in the new section of the yards which are now being put up to take care of 5,000 more cattle.

A high class of vaudeville entertainment will be put on during the afternoons of American Royal week between cattle showing classes. A very high class agricultural machinery and agricultural and live stock supply show will be staged in conjunction with the 1919 American Royal.

### Echo of a War House Painting.

Sedalia, Mo., Oct. 30.—It cost five men $15 and 1 cent to paint the store of Ira D. Follen, of Lamonte, yellow, because he had refused, it was charged, a donation to the United war drive. Follen had sued the five — George Reavis, Virgil Reavis, E. S. Elliott, Richard C. Fowler and Harris Taylor —for $14,055 damages. The jury returned a verdict giving him one cent punitive damages and $15 damages to the property. The painting occurred last year on Nov. 10—the day before the armistice was signed.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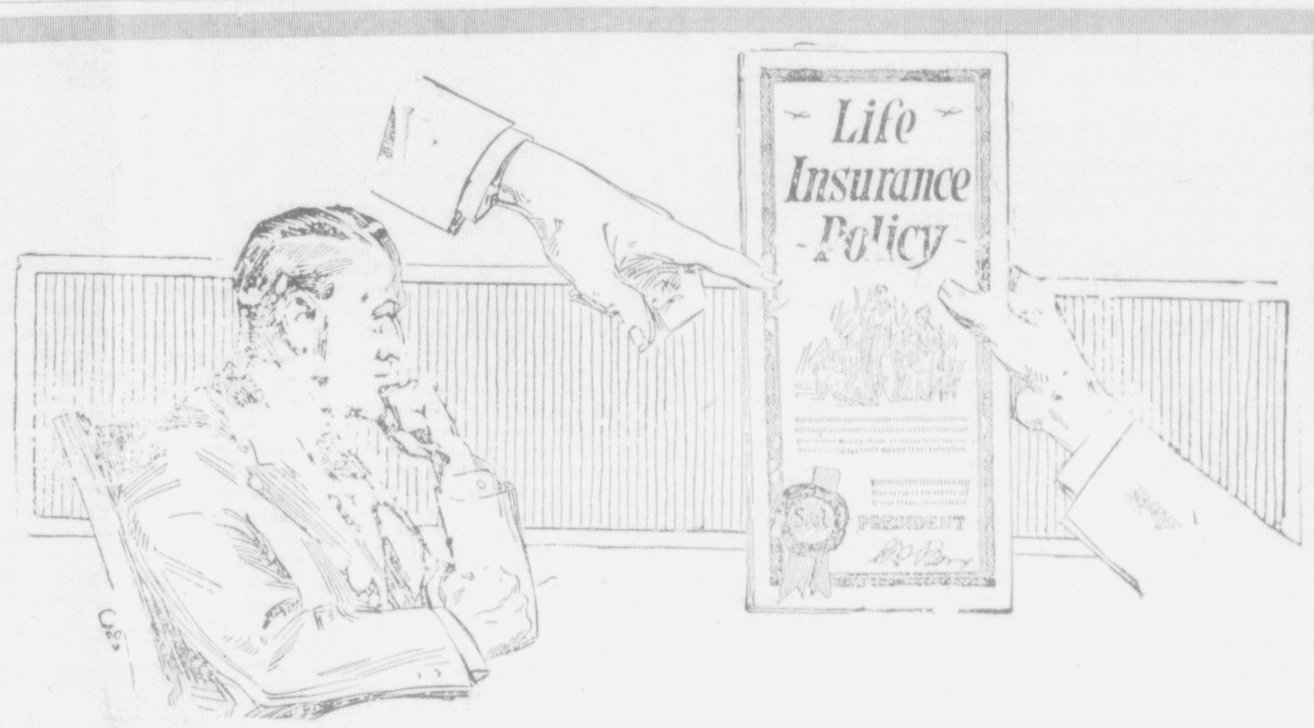


# How to Meet Your Life Insurance Premiums

IF you knew that you would live for twenty-five years you might be able to provide for your family—but you might die tonight, and if you have neglected insurance they may be destitute.

Why take chances when you can protect them so easily and when you know that what you put into insurance will come back.

By paying your premiums annually instead of semi-annually or quarterly, you save money, as you get a lower rate.

Start a savings account in your bank. Each week make a deposit, the bank will pay you interest on same. When your life insurance premium comes due, your are prepared for it, having the amount in the savings account.

You are making money two ways: First —drawing interest on your savings; secondly —saving money by paying your life insurance premiums annually.

Your banker will gladly explain this further or come and see me.

## A. Neil Somerville

DISTRICT AGENT

## *Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co.*

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Iowa Canning Co's Fine Sugar Corn (new) per can ....11c

Indiana Pack Old Fashioned Hominy, large can .....10c

Best St. Louis Saeur Kraut, gallon ..... 35c

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Fresh Cocoanut (bulk) lb 45c

Hipolite Marshmallow Creme, 35c Mason jars for .....27c

Ghirardelli's Ground Chocolate ....15c, 25c and 45c cans

Tomato Catsup, finest brands including Van Camps, Beech Nut or Snider's, 35c bottles at ..... 25c

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Creamo Nut Butter, 3 lbs for ..... $1.00

Creamo is unlike other butter substitutes—Creamo is churned in pure cream—Creamo does not krumble—Creamo is made in the largest modern creamery in this state—

Creamo is pure and keeps sweet—Creamo costs but half as much as butter.

Pound boxes Best Sliced Bacon (16 oz. net bacon) ....53c

Quart bottle finest table Vinegar ..... 25c

Missouri Comb Honey, nice quality, one frame ..... 35c

Burnt Peanut Candy
Strictly No. 1 Quality
25c per lb.

15c box Camp Fire Marshmallows ..... 10c

Jack Frost Buckwheat (self-rising) pkg. ..... 15c

Jack Frost double size box for ..... 25c

Maney's Best Flour, 49-lb sacks ..... $2.85

Pure Country Sorghum—
half gallon pails ..... 75c

gallons ..... $1.45

California White Beans, per lb ..... 10c

Pic Nic Hams, mild cure, 8 to 10 lbs, at per lb ..... 20c

Well cured Bacon Squares, per lb ..... 30c

10-lb pails Pure Leaf Lard (5 lbs net lard) for ..... $1.75

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Marshmallow Favor Table Syrup, ½ gal. pails .....50c

Karo, maple flavored Syrup, Gal pails ..... $1.38

half gal. pails ..... 70c

small cans ..... 22c

Choice Yellow Sweet Potatoes
25 Large Hampers
at $2.00 each
You will say they are fine.


# The Scrap Book

## MAORIS WELCOMED AT HOME

Government and White Citizens of New Zealand Joined With Natives in Great Reception.

Details of the return of the Maori warriors who fought in Gallipoli and France have become available. When the Maori Pioneer battalion disembarked at Auckland, amid a salute of cannon, they received a magnificent welcome from the government and white citizens of New Zealand, but the native ceremony was the greatest event in Maori history since the royal visit to Rotorua in 1901.

The Maoris have always been a warrior race and as the battalion returning from the great war represented every native tribe in New Zealand, men from every tribe had gathered in Auckland to give them a traditional Maori pohiri or dance of welcome. With chiefs and chieftainesses at their head and grouped in picturesque native fashion, the Arawa and Matatua, the Ngapuhi, Maniapoto, Waikato and Ngatiwhatua tribes awaited the Pioneer battalion.

As the Maori veterans passed through the streets of Auckland the city's enthusiasm expressed itself in ringing cheers. At the entrance to the Domain a small group of white-haired men stood at the salute. They were the king's empire veterans and they wore the Maori war medal. Very proudly the Maori battalion passed by the veterans who had fought their fathers and were now honoring them as kinsmen.—From Current History.

## CHICKEN QUICKLY MADE BARE

Machine Operated by Electricity Does the Work of Picking, and Disposes of Feathers.

Lots of things happen to a chicken between the time it "clucks" around the barnyard and the moment when you chew on its tender leg. Before cooking it the chicken must be picked—heretofore a long, tedious job, for a chicken has many feathers, which were pulled out one at a time.

Now O. G. Rieske has invented a picking machine which pulls the feathers out in bunches and whisks them into a vacuum tank.

Popular Science Monthly says a six-pointed rakelike implement raises the feathers so that they touch a pair

How Machine Works.

of rollers which revolve by electricity. The rollers pull the feathers out between them and pass them on to a tube which sucks them up into a tank. A small suction fan helps the work along by disposing of the feathers.

### Early Fight on Mosquitoes.

Fifty years ago the mosquito was recognized as a pestiferous but not a pestilential nuisance. It was not until long afterward that it was recognized as a carrier of malaria and other diseases. Nevertheless, it was enough of a menace to public comfort to cause it to be fought. In the Washington Star of July 28, 1869, is an item telling of the introduction in the board of common council by Dr. Boyd of the seventh ward of a bill to "prohibit the raising of mosquitoes in the city of Washington." The reading of the bill, the Star says, excited a laugh, but it was recognized that if it was successful in its operation it would entitle the doctor to the thanks of the community. It proposed to impose a penalty of from $1 to $5 on every person who should allow any bucket, tub or other receptacle containing water to stand in their yards, without having the same securely covered, to prevent mosquitoes from propagating.

### China's Egg Industry.

Eggs have risen to a prominent position in China's foreign trade. There are no poultry farms in China. The people throughout the country nearly all keep a few hens, and the eggs are collected in very small lots from the fairs or markets to which they are carried by the people themselves. The improvements in transportation will greatly aid this industry, as may be surmised when it is stated that eggs can be purchased in Shensi province, where there are no rail or water connections, at three for a cent, whereas they command a cent apiece in the section along the rail and waterways. China now exports over 300,000,000 preserved and fresh eggs and over 50,000,000 pounds of egg yolk and albumen annually.

### A Good Find.

Mary is seven years old and is very fond of picnics. One Sunday she was on a picnic and in wandering around found a creek. Mary hastily investigated. She began to wade in and called back to the crowd: "Oh, hurry quick; the water is nice and cold, and so thin you can see through it."

### A Club Friend.

"My dear, this is my old friend, Pete Flubdub."

"You mean your old friend, Jim Wombat," corrected the gent he had in tow.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Not So Old!

By ALDEN CHAPMAN

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"No," said Evelyn Gray, but with definite determination. Her white, shapely hand was daintily extended to displace that of Nat Morton from the left rear door of the automobile in which she was a solitary passenger.

The young man stared plaintively. His companion, Gerald White, uttered a low whistle. "I thought we were friends," he observed in accents indicating positive heartbreak.

"The best in the world, I hope," responded Evelyn, "but I am delegated by my sister, Mrs. Waverly, to use her car solely for the aged and decrepit."

Immediately Nat Morton drew back with serio-comic mien, stooped his shoulders and assumed the pose of an octogenarian, while his companion counterfeited a painful limp.

"It won't do!" cried Evelyn, shaking her head laughingly.

Not a wheel was turning on the local street railway pending a receivership. Woodville had to walk or rely upon a lift from wagons, trucks and other motorless vehicles. Evelyn lived with her sister, whose husband was a man of considerable means, and as the young girl was quite an adept at the wheel, Mrs. Waverly had asked her co-operation in carrying into effect the promptings of a humane impulse.

"Help those who need help, dear," directed Mrs. Waverly. "Many a weary old person will need a lift that long jaunt," and faithful Evelyn heartlessly passed by youth and beauty and took in Mrs. Babson, and then an aged pedestrian. They were just nearing a pretentious residence, long vacant, but, Evelyn had heard, recently rented by a stranger, a Mr. Thurston, when there came down its steps slowly a man whom she decided must be the gentleman in question. Every movement on his part indicated age, weakness or the convalescent, for head and shoulders were closely muffled up. Evelyn circled to the curb.

"There is a vacant seat left, sir," she said. "If you are going down town you will be very welcome to it."

The object of her interest and charity murmured half audible thanks and got into the vacant seat. With her passenger complement filled, Evelyn made no more stops until the business center was reached. She delivered Mrs. Babson and her companion of the rear seat at the destinations they named, and was about to inquire as to that of the remaining passenger when, turning a corner, a gust of wind blew off his head covering. To the surprise of Evelyn, a face young, shapely and handsome was revealed. She caught the hat before it blew free of the machine and restored it to its owner a trifle embarrassed, for with quiet, quizzical eyes her Mr. Thurston was scanning her closely as he said:

"You have certainly been an angel of mercy to me. If I did not feel a hundred years old convalescing from a three months' siege of sickness, I would not have intruded upon you."

"Oh, not that," declared impetuous Evelyn. "You are doubly welcome to the trifling lift I have given you."

"I am due to sign some papers at my lawyer's office," said Mr. Thurston. "He is Mr. Dacre."

"I know where he is," said Evelyn. "If you are returning home later I might call for you. I shall make two more trips," and with eyes and voice the invalid gratefully accepted her kindly offer.

"I must find some way to reciprocate," he spoke as Evelyn delivered him back. "You see, I have purchased the old Randall house here in order to have my widowed sister and her brood of little ones make a home for me, and when she comes she will want to join me in my thanks for your great thoughtfulness in my behalf."

The day was full of many interesting experiences for the volunteer in charity's service, and Evelyn chatted volubly in going over them for the benefit of her sister.

"Why," spoke Mrs. Waverly with animation, as Evelyn mentioned Mr. Thurston, "I heard who he was today. It seems that he is a man of very extensive means about to retire from business. Is he young, handsome, companionable," and the politic sister viewed her sister speculatively.

"I saw very little of him, as he was all muffled up," responded Evelyn, but she saw more of him before the week was out. She was on foot when a fine limousine glided to the curb near her. It contained her invalid passenger and a lady and two little children.

"I hope you are going fifty miles," called out Bartley Thurston, and introduced his sister and insisted on driving Evelyn on a shopping tour she was making, back home again, and, altogether, it was a sociable, pleasant occasion.

Bartley Thurston fast found his way back to health. His physician had advised the open air, and in his anxiety to repay Evelyn for those free rides he invited her to some delightful motoring tours.

"I say," observed Nat Morton to Gerald White one day as the Thurston limousine sped by, "there's our peerless Evelyn with her devoted millionaire. As one aged and decrepit, he certainly makes a fine match for our dear favorite, eh, Gerald?"

## *Bethany Paper Tells of Game Here and Gives Team Some Gentle Advice*

Under the heading, "Got Awful Walloping," the current issue of the Bethany Republican, a weekly newspaper, has the following to say about the football game at Maryville last Friday:

The Bethany high school football team hied themselves over to Maryville last Friday morning, leaving home when the elements looked as if they would be soaked before they got there, but it cleared up, and the only "soaking" they got was at the hands of the Maryville football team, who sure did "wallop the stuffin'" out of them. In fact, the Nodaway bunch just tramped on our fellows whenever they wanted to. After the battle was over and our boys were gathered up piece by piece, and the gentle breezes of the crisp October air fanned their alabaster brows, and they got their bearings, they realized that the score was 46 to 6, with the long end of the string held by Maryville.

Now, the fault of their defeat should not all be laid at their door, as it is a well known fact that our school is rather deficient in athletic instructions, and in a very large measure the boys have to depend on their own individual ability to learn the tricks and points of the game. Nearly all high schools have a regular coach to train and instruct their teams in the art of successful playing; but not so with the Bethany high school. Then again, Maryville boys all were so much larger than our boys, with just one exception (Burgin), who, by the way, stood up before the mad rushes and terrific onslaughts of the winning team in a manner that caused the opposition to stand open-mouthed with amazement.

There are a few things that the players must remember if they expect to become proficient in the art of playing the great gridiron game. They positively cannot give a good field account of themselves in any game, football or any other game, if the night previous they have been up until midnight or later attending parties dances, etc., and between each whir on the floor, smoke one to three cigarettes. Boys, as sure as you're born dancing, cigarettes and midnight carousing the night before means that you are sure to lose the game the next day.

The next game will be with Trenton on the home gridiron next Friday and our boys are getting right down to "brass tacks" and are going to win the game or know the reason why. They realize that Trenton has a good team and they are getting ready for a hard tussle. Now that the home team is taking care of themselves and working hard to win, let's all boost for them and as many as possible attend the game and root for Bethany.

### Would Enumerate Feeble-Minded.

St. Louis, Oct. 30.—A state census of all feeble-minded for the purpose of segregating them in institutions is the remedy suggested by Rev. Dr. George R. Dodson, president of the State Hygiene Society, for mental deficiency in the state. He said he intends asking the state to appropriate funds to make such a survey to locate weak-minded persons and then confine them to homes where they could have all the happiness possible with the exception of parentage.

### Governor at Exposition.

St. Louis, Oct. 30.—Governor Gardner and his staff were official visitors at the Missouri Day celebration at the St. Louis Exposition of Industrial Arts and Crafts yesterday, in the old Southern Hotel building. In a short address the governor said he believed St. Louis was awake to maintain herself in the position of fourth in the cities of the United States.

Mrs. Joe Reece returned last night from a visit of seven weeks in Hastings and Juniata, Neb.

## INVASION OF U. S. TOURISTS WILL TAKE MONEY ACROSS

English Newspaper Figures On Spring Rush to Visit the Battlefields of Europe

London, Oct. 30.—The Sunday Express understands that a vast American "invasion" of Europe is anticipated next spring and that already no fewer than 300,000 passages to England have been provisionally booked.

Inquiry at the headquarters of the principal trans-Atlantic lines elicited the fact that the shipping companies are making every possible effort to cope with the anticipated rush, and believe they will be able to meet the alone have twenty large new vessels alone have twenty larye new vessels building, and the White Star hope to hold their own. By the end of May no fewer than 100 liners may be engaged in ferrying American visitors across the "big drink."

This will mean that American dollars will pour into this country, and the present unfavorable rates of exchange are likely to be affected to a considerable extent. An American financial agent has estimated that nearly a million Americans will invade England and France between May and October next year and that they will spend at least $5,000,000,000.

### Chas. Litsch Moves to Maryville.

Chas. Litsch last week sold his property, the old Frank Melick place, to Mrs. Alma Kysar, the consideration being $1,675. Mr. Litsch and family have moved to Maryville, having decided to make that their future home.—Hopkins Journal.

## GOVERNOR SETS NOVEMBER 11 FOR AMERICAN LEGION DAY

He Designates Anniversary of Signing of Armistice as Time for Good Support

Jefferson City, Oct. 29. — Governor Gardner issued a proclamation today designating Tuesday, November 11, the anniversary of the signing of the armistice, as American Legion Day. The preamble to the proclamation says:

"Whereas, The victory of our gallant forces fighting in the field for the priicples of right and humanity was published to the world in the signing of the armistice of this important event in our history, the first annual convention of the American Legion, composed of our gallant soldiers, sailors and marines, will be held on such date, I hereby proclaim Tuesday, November 11, 1919, as American Legion Day."

The proclamation calls upon the people of the state in their celebration "of the momentous event of a year ago to wish the members of the American Legion Godspeed in their efforts to make the organization they have founded a great moral force for right, humanity and Americanism."


TRAPPERS ATTENTION.

The trapping season in Missouri opens November 1. Furs are higher than ever known. We are in the market for thousands of skins of muskrats, coons, wolves, foxes, civets, skunks, opossums, rabbit skins, moles, etc. Get our free price card.

Charles A. Jensen, Maryville, Mo.

We have have a limited number of beautiful trimmed hats ranging in price from $12.50 to $20.00. We are including all our best pattern hats and models from our own work room which will sell for $10.00.

All other trimmed hats will sell for $5.00. Strictly cash. No approvals. FRIDAY OCTOBER 31 and SATURDAY, NOV. 1 only.

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# What Do Advertisements Mean to You?

Do you really appreciate what the advertisements mean to you? They are there to flaunt this man's and that man's selfish plans for profit.

The advertisement of today is the honest merchant's or manufacturer's best method of multiplying by thousands of times an interesting message. He has learned from long experience—his own and that of others—that what he has to say must prove interesting and satisfactory to you, else it were better left unsaid. He has learned that his advertising will not pay him unless it tells you about good things that you really want to have.

This is why you will find it profitable to read the advertisements regularly. Perhaps you do. But read them with an appreciation of just what the development of honest, truthful advertising has meant in smoothing out some of the kinks of your daily routine.

Think how much they save you in time, steps, trouble and money in buying things you must have to live a healthy, happy, comfortable, modern life.

**Teachers Shun Labor Move.**

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 29.—The revised constitution of the Missouri State Teachers' Association, which will be presented to the state convention in St. Louis, November 6 to 8, does not include provisions for the affiliation with the American Federation of Labor. The revised constitution includes provisions for the organization of a teachers' union, however. This union will inaugurate and enforce legislation for increased wages and improved conditions for teachers.

**It Might Have Been Serious.**

The glass in a lower pane of a window in the second-floor office of Ellis G. Cook, attorney, was knocked out accidentally just before noon today and fell to the sidewalk on Main street in front of the building being remodeled by Dubinsky Brothers. No one was passing at the time, luckily.

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Belted to the world's forward march in style and as full of swagger as a game cock. As sure to be popular as the prettiest girl at the dance. Nine young fellows out of nine will like it, even if only seven or eight of them get it. And back of its crisp style is wear-goodness assured by its label:

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CLOTHES

We've a whole lot of other fetching models in overcoats that your eyes will snap at. Some for big boys who have just kicked off their knickerbockers and some for men who kicked them off more or less years ago. The new Fall fabrics are among them in a pleasing variety of color ideas, Prices range

$30 to $50

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Co.

"Style Headquarter"
—Where Society Brand Clothes are sold


**ARE IRISH TO LOSE NAME OF POTATO?**

Jefferson City, Oct. 30.—"Do the Irish lose again, or are the Irish about to be forced to surrender an undeserved honor?" is the question raised today by Secretary Jewell Mayes of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture in calling attention to the fact that the state and federal governments are both beginning to displace the name "Irish potato," changing it to "White potato." This is observable now in most of the crop reports and agricultural statistics.

Potatoes are native to North and South America, and were first taken to Ireland and Great Britain by English explorers returning from Jamestown and other North American settlements. One Irish sojourner in the Missouri state capital concedes the point that if potatoes must have any given name that "American potato" should be the name. Whether or not the word "Irish" shall be dropped from potatoes in commerce and literature yet remains to be seen.


**WHY SUFFER SO?**

Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing urinary ills? Maryville people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Could you ask for stronger proof of merit?

Mrs. C. McMonigal, 206 N. Main St., Maryville, says: "I suffered for years from disordered kidneys and at times the pain in my back was so bad I had to scream. I wouldn't rest well and had dizzy spells. Since I used Doan's Kidney Pills I have felt better in every way. I can certainly recommend them."

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**British Have "Flu" Vaccine.**

London, Oct. 30.—England is preparing for a recurrence of last winter's epidemic of influenza. A vaccine is being prepared in large quantities at St. Mary's hospital and other bacteriological centers in London for distribution throughout the United Kingdom. Innoculation with this vaccine against influenza and common colds is now being widely practiced by doctors all over the British Isles. Scores of test cases designed to prove its effectiveness are said to have resulted successfully.


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Adults 31c plus 4c—35c.


# Social, Clubs Churches

**Halloween Party.**

The young people in the Sunday school classes of the South Methodist church, taught by T. H. Leet and R. C. Seal, entertained at a Halloween social in the church parlors last night. Witches, black cats, pumpkins and autumn leaves were used in decorating the church. Games were played and refreshments of gingerbread, cider, and apples were served. Mrs. Raymond Barry, Mrs. Marve Peery and Mrs. W. H. Campbell were assisting hostesses. There were about thirty persons in attendance.

**McDougal Dinner Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDougal had as their dinner guests this noon Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Roberts, who returned yesterday noon from an extended visit in Marysville, Calif., with their daughters, Mrs. Fred Roberts and Mrs. Frank Meist. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tindall entertained Mr. and Mrs. Roberts at dinner last evening. After a few days visit in Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts will go to Wilmington, North Carolina, where they will spend the winter with their son, Don Roberts.

**Zero Club Dance.**

The masquerade dance of the Zero Club which will be given tomorrow night in W. O. W. hall promises to be a largely attended affair. The hall decorations and refreshments will be suggestive of Halloween and a prize will be awarded the best disguised couple. Russell Burris, Rex Webber, Dr. Jesse Miller, Jr., and Roy Neal are on the committee in charge of the dance.

**Miss Sewell Entertains.**

Miss Mary Sewell entertained the boys in her Sunday school class of the First Methodist church at a weiner roast and Halloween party last night at her home on North Main street. The class members are Otho Holaday, Jay Caudewell, Donald Herndon, Robert Westfall, Frank Piece, William Gaugh, Harold Miller, Frank Hartness, John Sewell, Jr., John Curfman and Forrest Howland.

**Children's Party.**

Mrs. J. F. Daniels entertained ten little friends of her children, Francis, Orville and Anna May, at a Halloween party last night from 7 to 9 o'clock. The rooms were decorated in yellow chrysanthemums and jack-o'-lanterns. Games were enjoyed and refreshments of popcorn and apples were served. The little guests, who received Halloween cards as favors, were Lavada Strader, Ruth Jensen, Emily Martin, Mildred Jensen, Joyce Johnson, Reba Butler, Harold Daniels, Erman and Elbert Barrett and Gerald Stultz.

**Miss Edna Robb Weds.**

A wedding of last night of interest here which took place in Hopkins is that of Miss Edna Mae Robb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robb of Hopkins, and James Thurburn Sykes of American Falls, Idaho. The ceremony took place at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. Joseph R. Harker, president of the Illinois Woman's College, Jacksonville, Ill., officiating. Preceding the ceremony Miss Mildred Wolters sang "Because" (d'Hardelot), and as Miss Cleo Kime played the wedding march from "Lohengrin," the bridal party entered the parlor. Miss Gertrude Brown attended Miss Robb as maid of honor, and E. P. Sykes of Beverly, Ill., a brother of the bridegroom, was the best man. The bride's gown was of white georgette crepe trimmed with silver lace. Her veil was of white tulle and she carried a shower bouquet of bride roses. Mr. Sykes and his bride left for a wedding trip to California and after a few weeks will be at home in American Falls.

Mrs. Sykes is a graduate of the Illinois Woman's College, Jacksonville, Ill., and she was an extremely popular girl in her home town.

Last Wednesday night, October 22, the ladies of the Hopkins P. E. O. gave a shower at the home of Mrs. A. H. Dalby for Miss Robb and she was the recipient of many handsome and useful gifts.

## MISSOURI EPISCOPALIANS TO OBSERVE 100TH ANNIVERSARY

**Celebration Will Be Held at Christ Church Cathedral in St. Louis Next Saturday, Nov. 8**

St. Louis, Oct. 30.—Leading Episcopalians from all over the United States are to congregate in St. Louis next Saturday for the nine-day observance of the hundredth anniversary of the founding of the Episcopal church in Missouri.

The observance will begin in Christ Church Cathedral, where most of the ceremonies during the nine days will be held, and terminate with a mass community meeting in Moolah Temple on Sunday, Nov. 9, when Governor Gardner and Mayor Kiel will be among the principal speakers.

Winston Churchill, the famous novelist, who was raised in Christ Church Cathedral parish, will be among the noted speakers. Many bishops from the United States and other countries will participate in the ceremonies.

Six persons attended the first Episcopal service in St. Louis, held in a store room at Second and Walnut streets, by Rev. John Ward of Lexington, Ky. From this meeting the Episcopal church in Missouri branched. Missouri was made a separate diocese in 1844. The names of the first mayor of St. Louis, the first governor of the state, the first United States senator from Missouri and many famous citizens appear on the documents of the diocese.

**BELLEVILLE STUDENTS WANT SIX-HOUR DAY AND YOUNG TEACHERS**

A petition is being circulated among the students of Belleville Township High School, making known certain preferences the students have regarding school hours, conduct of students and the selection of the staff of teachers.

They are asking for a six-hour day with a half day on Friday, that no woman teacher over 25 years of age be employed, and that the staff of male teachers be made up so far as possible, of unmarried men; that a cut of 25 per cent be made in the average necessary to pass in studies, and that the staff room be equipped with a phonograph and a pool table.

In addition it is demanded that all rules governing conduct of students shall originate in the Students' Council, and any changes in existing rules be subject to the approval of the council.—St. Louis Republic.


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2 No. 54 Extra Large Grape Fruit ..... 25c

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Quart bottle York brand Pure Cider Vinegar ..... 25c

Peck good Table Potatoes 50c

10-lb Pail Penn Mar Pure Sugar Syrup ..... $1.40

Gal. can pure Peach jam $1.25

Gal can Lippincotts pure Apple Butter ..... $1.25

4 lb Red Globe Onions, Fine quality ..... 25c

2 quarts Cranberries ..... 25c

2 cans Oaks Brand extra Standard Sugar Corn ..... 25c

5 bars Joy White Soap ..... 25c

White Star Tuna Fish ..... 30c

Quaker Best Yellow Corn Meal ..... 15c

Fruited Oats or Fruited Wheat pkg. ..... 25c

Jack Frost Pancake Flour
Small pkg. ..... 15c
Large pkg. ..... 25c

Golden Age Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 pkgs ..... 25c

Parson's Household Amonia bottle ..... 20c

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Two very important items for your fall and winter wardrobe and the two items on which the greatest shortage exists. If you have been watching the market reports you know that the supply in general of knitted goods is very low. In spite of this condition we have succeeded in collecting unusual assortments of the better kinds of hosiery and underwear.

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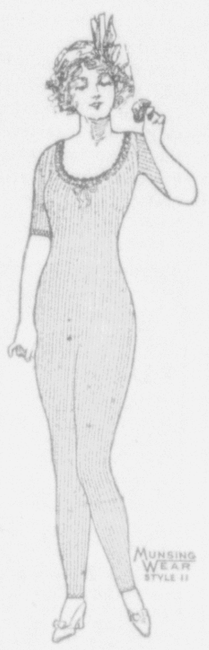
For the cold weather you will want warm undergarments of a weight that will guarantee comfort and satisfaction. There is more real comfort, wear and satisfaction in Munsingwear garments than any other underwear.




It's time to buy winter underwear. Don't buy just underwear but insist on garments of quality—they cost less in the end.

Munsingwear comes in fine cotton, lisle, wool, silk and wool and cotton and wool, in various weights for any demand.

LADIES' MUNSINGWEAR STYLES

No. 18, sleevless, loose knee, low neck.

No. 20, tight knee, sleevless, low neck

No. 20B, bodice top, tight knee

No. 21, ankle length, sleevless low neck

No. 17, elbow sleeve, ankle length, medium low neck

No. 15, elbow sleeve, ankle length, high neck

No. 45, long sleeves, ankle length, high neck

The different styles come in various weights and fabrics.

CHILDREN'S MUNSINGWEAR STYLES

No. 77, high neck, long sleeve, ankle length, drop seat, half open front.

No. 87, high neck, full open front, long sleeves, ankle length, drop seat.

No. 75, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, full open front, open gore.

No. 85, long sleeves, high neck, open front, closed gore, ankle length.

Also vests and pants in various weights for both women and children.

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Skilled workmanship enters into its manufacture, and no effort is spared to make it "the most beautiful hose"—a delight to the heart of every woman.

Ladies' cotton hose ..... 19c to 59c

Ladies' lisle hose ..... 59c to $1.00

Ladies' silk hose ..... $1.00 to $3.25

Children's Pony hose, 5, 5½, 6, 6½ ..... 50c

Children's Pony hose, 7, 7½, 8, 8½ ..... 55c

Children's Pony hose 9, 9½, 10 at the pair ..... 60c

Other cotton hose for children at ..... 25c to 39c

Men's silk half hose $1.00 to $2.00

Men's cotton and fibre ..... 35c to 59c.

## INCREASED PRODUCTION NOTED IN BUTTERFAT FOR THIS FALL

Combined With Lighter Consumption It Lowered Prices a Trifle; Eggs Insufficient

Chicago, Oct. 29.—(By mail).—Recent general rains resulted in better pastures and conditions for fall production of butterfat, and an increase in the amount delivered to creameries this week.

A lighter consumption of butter is reported, and this factor, in connection with the larger stocks reported by the United States department of agriculture, October 1, has resulted in slightly lower prices generally prevailing on the selling markets, with little change in the country prices on butterfat.

Due to generally open weather, the egg production, while not sufficient for total current requirements, is an important factor in affecting values. Heavy withdrawals were made during the week from reserve stocks, but a larger movement is desirable.

There has been an increase in the amount of poultry marketed but no appreciable change in prices.

Feeding plants are generally filled to capacity, and producers and shippers can help materially in handling the holiday movement by following the suggestion made in our previous letter—of even marketing—which will prevent overstocked markets.


# Dinner For Five

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Five Middle Western farm leaders sat down to dinner in a big hotel. Modestly they ate steak, potatoes, corn, bread and butter and drank coffee—*and the check was $11.* Then one of them, says

## The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

figured roughly from the day's market reports what share the farmer had got of the $11—*and the answer was 82 cents!* And still some folks say the farmer is a profiteer!

First, last and all the time THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN stands for a living profit for the farmer. Its articles are aimed at better and more economical methods in cropping; at more scientific breeding and feeding of animals; at greater use of tractors and other labor-saving machinery; at more efficient marketing. In other words, the chief aim of THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN is to help the farmer to make more money—to get more of the consumer's dollar—to get more than 82 cents out of an $11 dinner. One dollar that you spend for a year's subscription may save you a hundred dollars or more. Why delay longer?

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### HORSE MARINES ARE NO LONGER A JOKE

Washington, Oct. 30.—The old joke about horse marines has gone into the discard along with the memory of Captain Jinks.

Nearly every marine is able to perform the duties of a cavalryman when the occasion demands, and mounted detachments of marines are now on duty in Haiti, China and elsewhere. The sea soldiers do some plain and fancy riding at their school of equitation, and students are given a course of lectures on horsemanship.

As a demonstration of their skill horse marines competed in the rodeo held recently at San Francisco, and carried off several prizes.

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Use Black Silk Metal Polish for silverware, nickel, tinware or brass. It works quickly, easily and leaves a brilliant surface. It has no equal for use on automobiles.

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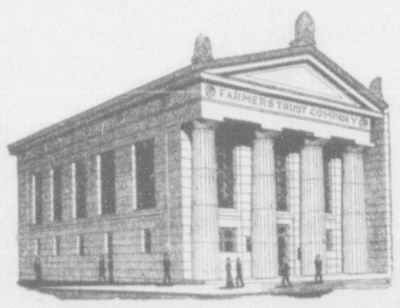
# Save Your Life Insurance

Saving for some definite purpose such as a vacation, Christmas presents, new clothes or some such reason is common, and this bank is glad to help its patrons to save for any definite purpose.

But perhaps the best purpose for temporary saving is to pay life insurance premiums. A dollar or so a week put into the savings department of the Farmers Trust Co., will pay your life insurance without making you a bit of trouble or hardship, and it provides a competence for the future and a protection for someone in case you are taken away.

Many patrons who have started to save their life insurance premiums have found it easy to save more than that without noticing the amounts paid into the bank each week or month. Savings draw 4 per cent interest compounded every six months.

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# RED CROSS DRIVE TO OPEN NOV. 2

OFFICIALS LOOK FORWARD TO PLACING DIVISION FIRST "OVER THE TOP."

## WOMEN WORKERS ENROLL

Campaign Managers Say That Present Drive Is One for Membership, Not Funds.

### RED CROSS ROLL CALL FACTS

Begins, Sunday, November 2; closes, Armistice Day, Tuesday, November 11.

Objective: 20,000,000 memberships in the United States; 2,000,000 memberships in the Southwestern Division—the states of Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas. Cost of membership, one dollar.

Purpose: To maintain Red Cross at present high state of organization and efficiency as permanent national relief agency.

One million volunteer workers to assist in campaign activities, to be enrolled previous to opening of drive.

Soldiers, sailors and marines to aid by speaking and writing of the work of the Red Cross in the camps and overseas. Fighting men, in some cases, directing campaign.

"Four-minute" men, returned service men, lawyers, newspaper men and others qualified, will speak during drive, in theatres, hotels, moving picture shows, clubs, factories, mills and stores.

National advertising campaign being waged as preliminary to intensive drive. Newspapers, posters, window displays, flags, cutouts, moving picture films, dodgers, advertising slides, all carrying Red Cross messages.

When the Third Red Cross Roll Call of members is completed on Armistice Day, November 11, it is expected that 2,000,000 persons in Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma—the states comprising the Southwestern Division of the Red Cross—will have answered "here" and have been enrolled as annual members of the organization.

Inasmuch as this is a decrease of 385,619 members under the record of last year, when 2,385,619 members were obtained during the Christmas Roll Call from a population of approximately 13,928,000, Red Cross officials look forward to putting the Division first "over the top" with comparatively little difficulty. The nation-wide campaign this year is expected to yield more than 20,000,000 members. As in all previous campaigns, the fee for yearly membership is $1.

**Red Cross Sunday.**

The campaign will open formally Sunday, November 2, which has been designated "Red Cross Sunday." On that day the story of the Red Cross will be told from pulpits all over the nation. Special programs will mark morning and evening services.

Vigorous preparations are being made, as evidenced by the rapid enrollment of thousands of women workers who will serve as volunteer canvassers during the campaign. More than 1,000,000 such workers are to be obtained throughout the country, whose aid will determine to an appreciable extent the successful termination of the coming campaign.

Reports reaching the Division office in St. Louis tell also of the co-operation being extended by hundreds of soldiers, sailors and marines, who are able, many of them, to tell "first person" stories of what the Red Cross did for them while the fighting was going on. These chaps are being enrolled as speakers, writers and active workers. In addition, "four-minute" men, lawyers, newspaper men and others qualified are scheduled to address audiences during the campaign on the subject of the Red Cross appeal.

**Advertising Campaign.**

Enthusiasm in the campaign is being stimulated by the appearance of thousands of posters, window displays, Red Cross flags and other adjuncts of the country-wide advertising campaign now being carried on. Newspapers are carrying page, half-page and smaller advertisements bearing the Red Cross message, while periodicals, magazines and billboards, as well as street cars, trains, mercantile establishments and department store windows, all carry their quota of Red Cross advertising. Moving picture shows are exhibiting Red Cross films in a gigantic motion picture campaign that has for its object the education of the American people to the present-day needs of the American Red Cross.

Red Cross campaign officials have announced that the present drive is one for membership, not funds. In view of the large amount of work still to be completed abroad and the renewed activity incident to the inception in America of the Red Cross peace program along the lines of First Aid, Junior Membership, Nursing and Home Service, those in touch with the drive situation say the prospects are favorable for increasing Red Cross membership to a figure well over that obtained last year.

## "PAL" GOOD WORD, BUT SLANG

Term in Good Society Accepted as Meaning "Chum;" in Vocabulary of Crime Stands for Accomplice.

The dictionary recognizes the right of "pal" to inclusion in our language, though designating it as slang. Like many words thus classed, it is a terse way of expressing a relationship readily understood but not so easily defined. In good society it is accepted as meaning a chum, a congenial companion; in the vocabulary of crime it stands for a confederate or accomplice.

The most natural and instinctive thing in life is a desire for congenial companionship; only the abnormally developed mentality can live on a sufficiently exalted—or shall we say self-centered—plane as to other personalities.

A pal is an intimate friend of either sex, to whom one may "talk as the heart beats," may confide hopes, fears, happiness and disappointments, certain the trust will not be betrayed. Between opposite sexes is excludes lovemaking or "spooning," but means a broad, intelligent, faithful, yet subtle friendship, since all friends are not pals; not necessarily a unanimity of opinion, but a disposition to "agree to disagree" in case of differences. There is a tacit respect for each other's individuality.

Perhaps one of the best tests of a pal is that the two enjoy silence together; there is a sense of companionship in being together without the constant trickle of words which most of us feel necessary unless one would be thought unsocial.—Detroit Free Press.

## WOMAN, 80, WORKED IN MINES

Grandmother, Yet Able to Be on the Job Ten Hours a Day, Toiling Like a Man.

Mrs. Bridget McHugh, the oldest "pit-brow" woman in the Pemberton, Eng., coal field, is dead at the age of 80 years. For more than half a century she had worked at the mines.

"Old Bridget," as Mrs. McHugh was familiarly called, was a hale and hearty, strongly built woman who could use a shovel in filling mine cars as well as any man, and was always looked upon as an expert pit-brow worker, few being her equal. The shorter working day was unknown to her, and summer and winter, rain or shine, she was accustomed to leave home at five o'clock every morning, and was in her place at the coal bank before the whistle sounded at six. Her day continued until five or six at night. Mrs. McHugh was a grandmother, and two of her sons are employed in the colliery where she worked so long.

**Crystals of Unlimited Size.**

Artificial crystals of great regularity and clearness, and of almost unlimited size, are claimed as products of the perfected process of R. W. Moore, an American physicist. The usual growing of crystals consists in evaporating the solution in which a little crystal is suspended as a nucleus. In the new method, the solution is kept slightly supersaturated, and the growth continues as long as this condition is maintained. Crystals of Rochelle salt (sodium-potassium tartrate) more than three inches long and two inches thick have been produced, with all surfaces and angles perfect. This salt is most soluble in hot water, and supersaturation is obtained by dissolving in hot water, and slightly cooling. With the aid of a thermostat the temperature is so regulated as to keep up the supersaturated condition. The seed crystal is suspended in the solution of the material, and growth is said to continue indefinitely with efficient control.

**For Better Education.**

The honors for literacy must, alas, go to Germany, where the illiteracy percentage is far less than one! England follows close behind. But in the United States nearly 6 per cent of the people can neither read nor write our language. This sounds bad, but it really isn't when you consider our heavy immigration.

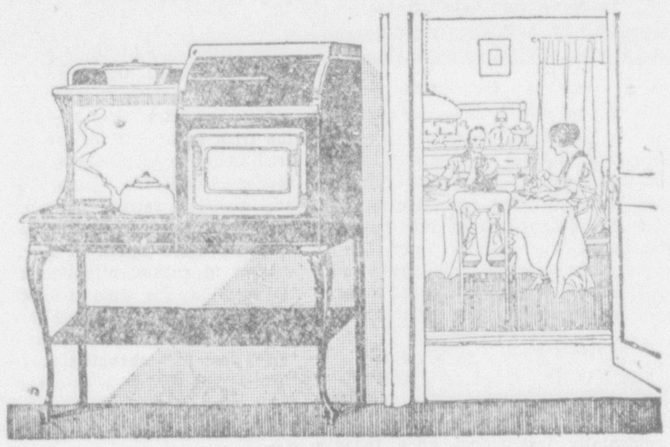
Educational bureaus throughout the country are constantly bettering conditions, for greater literacy means greater labor production. In many counties traveling libraries are sent out—wagons fitted up with book shelves.

But careful education of the children is the most important branch of all, and so many cities provide conveyances for crippled children to go to school in.

When we consider that India and Egypt are over 92 per cent illiterate, our fast decreasing six looks very small.—Popular Science Monthly.

**Mexico's Pyramids.**

Archeological investigations by a governmental commission to solve the mystery of who built the great pyramids at San Juan Teotihuacan, 27 miles from Mexico City, says the Detroit News, have brought to light two great granite heads of the ancient Mexican god of the air, Quetzzalcoatl. These heads are almost perfect specimens, bearing all the symbolic markings. The long-disputed point as to who erected the pyramids is, as yet, unsolved. These huge mounds, one to the sun and the other to the moon, the former being 767 by 721 feet at the base and 21½ feet high, are generally attributed to a tribe that preceded the Toltecs, probably dating from about the sixth century.

# The ELECTRIC OVEN

Provides the most perfect cooking principle in existence. It is nearly air tight and insulated so that it acts much like a fireless cooker.

In cooking meats all the natural flavor and the meat juices are retained and a piece of meat roasted in the electric oven comes out the SAME SIZE IT WENT IN.

In baking, the oven can be regulated to EXACTLY THE RIGHT HEAT—not nearly right but JUST RIGHT. For that reason perfect results can be obtained in the baking of any kind of bread or pastry.

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With the automatic electric you can get the clock to turn the electrcity on at any desired time and to turn it off again when the oven becomes the right heat. In that way you can bake without even being at home.

THHINGS COOKED IN THE ELECTRIC OVEN ARE DELICIOUS.

## Maryville Electric Light & Power Company

Empire Theatre Building



# Closing Out Sale

Having decided to move to Colorado, I will sell at the Burris farm, 2 miles south of Maryville, on

## Wednesday, Nov. 5, '19

the following property:

**9 HEAD OF HORSES MULES—9**

5-year-old mare, 9-year-old horse, pair mules, 2 years old; mare and horse, 16 hands; yearling mare mule, pair weanling mules, by driving mare broke to all harness; Shetland pony 4 years old, broke to ride and drive.

**14 HEAD OF CATTLE—14**

Six extra choice Jersey milch cows, due to calve soon; 3 yearling steers, 1 yearling heifer, four 2-year-old heifers, heavy springers.

**110 HEAD OF DUROC HOGS—110**

10 brood sows, some with pigs at side; 57 spring shoats, 43 fall pigs.

**HAY, GRAIN AND FEED**

25 acres corn, 30 to 40 tons timothy (baled), 80 acres of good pasture.

**CHICKENS**

5 doz, full blood leghorn hens, 10 doz. Rhode Island hens, 4 Rhode Island roosters.

**IMPLEMENTS**

Mower, rike, disc, hay rake, garden plow, sulky plow, walking plow, 3-section harrow, corn planter, riding lister and drill, end-gate seeder with grass attachment, 1 riding, 1 walking cultivator, water tank, wagon, set work harness, buggy, 2 sets of single harness, hog oiler, barrel crude oil, 2 extra good hog houses, some household goods and other thngs too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

LUNCH BY LADIES OF M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

## JOHN RICKMAN

R. P. Hosmer—Auct. Arch Frank—Clerk

See--Montgomery-Cummins Clo. Co's. Special Values in

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## Men's Overcoats and Underwear

### for Friday, Saturday and Monday

This weather reminds us that if you have not covered all your needs in clothing for fall and winter now is an exceptonal time to complete your wardrobe.

Extra good values in men's overcoats; dark gray patterns, big convertible collars, full 48 inches long and full lined. Sizes 34 to 48. $15, $18 and $20.00

For the man a little more particular about style, quality, tailoring and trimmings, these Hart, Schaffner & Marx at $30, $40, and $60 should meet your approval.

Read our advertisement in Tuesday, Oct. 28th issue for our prevailing low prices on men's and boy's under wear.

Many sparkling new ties, shirts, caps, hats and suits received this week which invites your early consideration.

## Montgomery-Cummins Clothing Company

W. J. Montgomery
F. M. Cummins
L. W. Price

One Price to All

Style
Quality
Service


## DISCHARGE HIM? SURE NOT

**Landlord of Typical West of Ireland Estate Highly Valued Poor Marksmanship of Lodgekeeper.**

It was a typical West of Ireland estate, and the Sassenach landlord was just driving his newly arrived English guest through the lodge gates when a bullet zipped by his ear.

"Good heavens!" exclaimed the guest. "What was that?"

"O, only one of my men having a pot shot at me," replied the landlord. "I rather fancy it was my lodgekeeper."

"Great Scott!" again ejaculated the guest. "What will you do with the fellow—have him arrested for attempted murder?"

"Do with him!" repeated the landlord. "Nothing, of course."

"Not even discharge him?" persisted the guest.

"Good gracious, no!" replied the landlord. "Why, I wouldn't lose the fellow for a fortune. He's one of the worst shots I've ever had on the estate!"

## FIRST STATUE IN THE U. S.

**Jackson Memorial, Designed and Erected by Sculptor Who Started Life as Plasterer.**

The Jackson statue, in Lafayette park, Washington, was the first equestrian statue unveiled in the United States. The famous statue of George III, which the New York patriots pulled down in 1776, was built before there was a United States. The Jackson statue was designed and erected by Clark Mills, a "self-made" sculptor, who started life as a plasterer. He had never seen an equestrian statue before he started work on this one, and the appliances for modeling and casting were made by him. The metal in the group is made of cannon captured by Jackson from the British.

The equipoise of the group is perfect, and no important balancing rods are used to keep the statue from toppling. Mills claims that he had so perfectly attained the center of gravity in the work that the group would balance perfectly on the hind feet of the rearing charger. This fact was proved, but when the statue was erected the hind feet of the horse were bolted, or otherwise fastened, to the base or pedestal, to secure it against the possible effects of high winds or other disturbing or mischievous causes.

### Horse Ought Have More Sense.

A man driving an express wagon in Southbridge street appeared to be more concerned in a newspaper he was reading than in steering the horse out of harm's way. The paper blocked the view entirely in front of the driver, who seemed to be oblivious to his surroundings as the equine jogged along in what he found later to be the wrong road. When he woke up to the situation he found that he and the wagon had gone more than three-quarters of a mile out of the way and then he discovered that he had lost himself and had been doing extra work for nothing. When at last the driver lifted his head and found what had happened he cursed the horse for not knowing better than to pass by his own stable.—Worcester Evening Post.

### Famous Carryalls.

The two most famous carryalls in Washington are owned by Senator Edge of New Jersey and United States Marshal Splain of the District of Columbia. The senator's conveyance, a high-powered automobile, is famed because it carries license No. 1 from the state of New Jersey. The number is not much wider than a lead pencil and it certainly looks peculiar fastened onto the big green car. Marshal Splain's hack is one of the grand old one-horse-shay variety. He uses it because congress has persistently refused to supply a gasoline bus for him. In order to maintain an even keel he has to sit in the exact center of the seat. If he sits on one side the hack lists heavily either to the port or starboard and he has to cling tightly to the cushion to prevent his going overboard.

### Australian Gold Output Falling.

Gold production of western Australia continues to show a steady decline. During the six months ended June 30, 1919, the total Australian production amounted to 573,279 fine ounces, of which western Australia furnished 410,428 ounces. For the first six months of 1918 the Australian production was 641,911 ounces, the state of western Australia furnishing 443,983 ounces. During the first six months of 1917 the total production amounted to 727,995 ounces, of which amount western Australia furnished 490,466 ounces. It is stated that the cause of this decline is increased working expenses due to high wages and the high cost of machinery and materials. It is not expected that much, if any, improvement can be looked for in the immediate future.

### In a Class by Himself.

A gentleman in the engraving business on Broadway, New York, was greatly annoyed by the tardiness of one of his skilled engravers. Calling him into the office one morning he said: "Mr. Brown, I get here at 8:30 every morning and look over my mail; at 9 o'clock I look out the window and see Mr. Rockefeller on his way to the office; at 9:30 Mr. J. P. Morgan passes on his way to the bank; at 10 I see Mr. Vanderbilt going by; at 10:30 Mr. Taft passes on the way to his office; at 11 you come in. Who the ——— are you?"—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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## THAT BRING RESULTS

Classified "wants", one cent per word 1rst insertion and one half cent per word or each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than.....25c

Classified wants, by the month, per line (six words) per month.....70c

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to nsure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An xtra charge of Five Cents will be made on ll Want Ads when cash does not accompany he order.

### FOR SALE.

Equitable
Life, Health and Accident
"Buy it of Brewer."

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars and gilts; a fine lot to select from. A. B Dowden. Phone 1-13, Maryville, Mo S23t

FOR SALE—Second -hand tires, al sizes. Will sell reasonable. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. O6t

WANTED—All kinds of junk and Junk cars. We also buy and sell all kinds of second-hand cars. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. O6tf

FOR SALE—6-hole range for wood or coal, with warming closet and reservoir. May be seen at Hastings residence, East 14th St. O21tf

FOR SALE—Five room cottage, well located in northwest part of city. Inquire 115 W. 11th St. O24tf

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Jersey yearling boar. Rob't. Powell, Han. 15F. O24tf.

FOR SALE—A few good Duroc Jersey boars. Pathfinder and Uneeda Model breeding, priced to sell. Allen Henry, Burlington Jct. Phone Clearmont. 24-30*

FOR SALE—Choice White Plymouth Rock Cockerals, from trap nested stock 200 egg strain. Adah Garrett, Clearmonth. 25-31*

FOR SALE—4 pair of extra good yearling mules; well matched and heavy boned. M. A. Gray, Farmers phone 1001 Barnard. 30-5*

FOR SALE—If taken at once, five acres, improved. Possession. 1108 E. Halasey. Hanamo 420. Gen. Del. Carl Riffel. O27tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred single comb White Leghorn cockerels, $1.25 each. Mrs. H. L. Groves. Barnard. Phone 4211. 27-30*

FOR SALE—Ford Sedan, 1918 model in good condition. See Ed Wolfert. 28-30*

FOR SALE—Three new cars, Studebaker light six, Buick Roadster, and Dodge roadster. Call or write Linebaugh Motor Car Co., Clearmont, Mo. 28-30*

FOR SALE—Good three burner oil stove and oven. Price $10.00. Also some kindling wood. Hanamo 3351. 28tf.

Choice Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, light and dark, $2.00 each. Mrs. F. M. Bagley, Farmers 16-20, Maryville 28-10*

FOR SALE—165 head good western ewes, bred to Shropshire rams; in lots to suit. G. H. Null, 6 miles east and 2 miles north of Maryville. Phone Orrsburg. 28-30

FOR SALE—3 good yearling Shropshire bucks, $12.50 per head. Wm. Bosch, Farmers phone 32-11. 29-31*

FOR SALE—An extra good full Jersey cow giving a good flow of milk. A gentle family cow. Milk test full 6 Inquire at this office or 806 S. Walnut. 29tf

FOR SALE—Some fine Havana tobacco in the hand, 50c per lb. P. M. Smith, Arkoe. 29-31*

FOR SALE — A Jersey milk cow. Call 529 Hanamo. 30-1

FOR SALE—350 seasoned oak posts. Farmers phone 30-14. 30-1*

FOR SALE—LOW PRICED FARMS in the rainbelt of Colorado; $16.00 per acre, up. Map free. Geo. H. Meek.

FOR SALE—Favorite hard coal burner. Inquire at Nick Sturm residence. 29-31*

### MISCELLANEOUS

TIRES! TIRES! TIRES—Michelin Racine, Goodyear, Goodrich, Unite States and Ajax at Johnson's Garage Pickering. O3tf

WANTED — $100,000 hom emoney to lend to farmers immediately, to assist to buy farms. If you have sums large or small to lend, let us know—business always confidential. The Sisson Loan & Title Co., over Nodaway Valley Bank. S5tf

NOTICE—Can repair your auto curtains with ising glass. Wm. Gilbert, Kane Bldg. 29-31*

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping or furnished house. Call Han. 260 29-31*

WANTED—Girls at Basford Cigar Company. 30-1

STRAYED—Last Saturday in Maryville, white pig; 50 lbs. Notify this office. 29-31*

LOST—Saturday evening ,an amethest gold rosary. Return to this office. 28-30

LOST — 16-inch string of pearls with gold clasp set with tiny diamond. Reward. E. M. Sobbing, Forest City, Mo. 28-30

WANTED—Secondhand dresser. Call Democrat-Forum office. 28-30

LIVERY—Country auto drives a specialty. Prices very reasonable. John Graves, North Greenhouse. Farmers phone 76-12. 28-30*

If your account has been running 30 days it is due. Come on and be fair. H. M. Lincoln, Pickering, Mo. 28-30

WANTED—Four men to put up log cabin at Clearmont. Also build rock fire place. W. W. Linebaugh. 28-30*

LOST—License plate No. 74,322. Finder return to Eversole & Son's store. 28-30

WANTED—Experienced waitress at Bainum Hotel; $7 per week. 28-30

Hospital Nursing—I am now ready to nurse anyone who wants me; am prepared to take the patients in my home and care for them. Mrs. S. A. Muse. 29-4

### FOR RENT

FARM FOR RENT—On shares—320 acres, or will divide; immediate possession; close to town on main paved road; 2 new sets buildings; rich land all under plow. Renter to furnish machinery and horses. Must have best references. State just what you have and how big family. Address V. C. B. care Democrat-Forum. 27-30

FOR RENT—160-acre farm east of Bedford, Ia. Write C. W. Power, 1123 First Ave. East, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. 30-31*

FOR RENT—2 office rooms, over Gaugh & Evans, South Side of Square. Inquire of Gaugh & Evans. O 13tf.

## MARKET REPORTS

### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, Oct. 30. — Cattle receipts 7,000 ;steers $9 to $16.50; cows $8 to $12. Hog receipts 4,500; top $14; bulk $13.60 to $14.

Kansas City, Oct. 30. — December corn $1.28; May corn $1.24.

Chicago, Oct. 30. — Cattle receipts 21,000; hogs 32,000; sheep 26,000.

St. Joseph, Oct. 30.—Cattle receipts 2,000. Hog receipts 2,500; top $14.10; 10c higher. Sheep receipts 2,000.

### PRODUCE MARKET.

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| Eggs, per doz. | 50c |
| Hens, per lb. | 18c |
| Springs, per lb. | 16c |
| Butterfat, per lb. | 68c |
| Hides, per lb. | 23c |
| Ducks, per lb. | 15c |
| Geese, per pound | 12c |
| Old Cocks, per lb. | 10c |

## FIRST MISSOURI FARM CENSUS COMES TO END WITH OCTOBER

**Assessors Ask 27 Questions Apart From Regular Work; Get 4 Cents for Each Record**

Jefferson City, Oct. 30.—With the ending of October the first farm census of Missouri is finished. The Cave-Chambers act of 1919 gave to this state its first agricultural statistical law.

The 92 county assessors and their deputies, and the 306 township assessors in the 22 counties under township organization, have since June 1 been asking each farm owner or renter 27 questions separate and apart from the regular assessing. In this way an average of one-half of the inquiry columns are left blank because the average farm does not produce more than half of the standard crops covered by the 27 questions.

The township or county assessor will be allowed four cents for each farm listed under the farm census act. This fee is allowed and paid jointly by the county and state the same as other regular fees paid for assessing. Assessors will certify up their claims to their county clerk and the secretary of the Missouri state board of agriculture will certify as to the correctness of listings direct to the county clerk of each county before the county court will pay any fees under the farm census act.

The Missouri farm census law is similar to the laws of Kansas and Wisconsin, which have been of great value to those states through furnishing actual acreage and other essential agricultural statistics important to immigration and country life development.

John Yates, U. S .Wright, J. B. Nunnelly and Rufus Allen were visitors in St. Joseph today.

## MEETING OF STATE TEACHERS EXPECTED TO ENROLL 15,000

**Missouri Will Lead the Union In Numbers at Association, According to Early Reports**

Fifteen thousand teachers will be enrolled for the big St. Louis meeting (Nov. 6-8, 1919) of the Missouri State Teachers' Association and the district associations, and Missouri will be the first state in the Union in association enrollment, according to the reports from the school people of the state to the secretary of the association.

From present indications, at least eighty or ninety counties will dismiss their local associations so that teachers may go to St. Louis or to the district associations, and hundreds of towns are giving a straight enrollment of 100 per cent, whether all teachers attend the meeting or not. The enrollment from the Teachers' Colleges, colleges and universities will be greater than ever. Every county in the state will be represented.

Miss Gecks, the president, has been fortunate in securing a good number of the leading educators of the country, national and state, for the general program. Among the out of town state speakers are:

Dr. Marion L. Burton, president of the University of Minnesota, author and lecturer.

Dr. George D. Strayer, professor of educational administration, Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York.

Miss Jane Adams, Hull House, Chicago.

Hon. S. D. Fess, congressman from Ohio, chairman of the committee on education, house of representatives.

Miss Julia Lathrop, chief of the childrens' bureau, department of labor, Washington, D. C.

Hon. F. C. McIntosh, federal board of vocational education, Washington, D. C.

Dr. Charles H. Farnsworth, professor of music, Columbia University, New York.

Dr. R. H. Whitbeck, editor of the Journal of Geography, professor of geography, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

Miss Patty Smith Hill, director of department of kindergarten education, Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York.

Miss Mabel Carney, instructor in rural education, Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York.

Miss Charl Williams, superintendent of schools, Shelby county, Tennessee.

Prof. G. A. Miller, professor of mathematics, University of Illinois.

Prof. A. W. Nolan, state supervisor of agriculture, University of Illinois.

The department programs are also excellent and contain the names of many of the state's leading school people.

The United States railroad administration has granted a one and one-third fare on the certificate plan for the meeting.

For further information write E. M. Carter, secretary, Columbia, Mo.


RED PEP'S PHILOSOPHY

"Sometimes when you want to sneeze, it's just because your brains are dusty."

You'll not get any dust in your brains here. Our stock of dependable groceries is not to be sneezed at.

You are guaranteed full weight and first class

GROCERIES AND MEATS

at our store—clean, dependable merchandise at reasonable prices.

BUTTER NUT Coffee has no equal. Why buy others. Our line of meats and groceries are up to date. We strive to please. Fresh oysters direct from the coast.

CHARLES BUHLER
Home of Red Pep.



WANTED!

Mules any sizes 4 to 8 years old. Will buy 2 year old mare mules.
Mares for southern trade. Good fat kind, 3 to 10 years old weighing 800 to 1100. Phone me or bring them in.
Hanamo 31 Farmers 141

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## A ROSE BY ANY OTHER NAME! MOVIES ARE TO BE CINEMAS

**Dignity Rules Convention of Society of Motion Picture Engineers at Pittsburgh**

Pittsburgh, Oct. 30.—The day of the "cinema" and the "projectionist" has arrived. "Movies" and "operators" have gone to the dump.

Dignity must be served, the high-brows of the Society of Motion Picture Engineers ruled in their convention here, and the industry received a great uplift.

"The term 'movies' is entirely too lacking in dignity," said one delegate. "Cinema' has the real tone."

"And 'operators' — Heaven forbid," protested another.

From that moment the fellows who run the little coop back of the house ceased to operate. They started to project. It was reasoned that with the application of the term "projectionists" the profession will be endowed with more of a tinge of the artisti and feel a deeper sense in their work

But there is more. The room o the projectionist must be transforme. The walls must give way to glass so that all the world, if it cares to, may watch the projectionist at work.

It was announced at the convention that 1,000,000,000 feet of film had been manufactured in the United States during the last year and that $40,000,000 has been expended.

Standardization of the industry must come before an improvemeit can be shown in the business, it was agreed Machines, projectors, lenses, screens everything, therefore, will be of standard manufacture after a while.

### Women At Work.

During the war, millions of women have been at work in vocations into which they have never before been called—in Munition Factories, Chemicals Work, Metal Works, Street Railways, and as Ambulance Drivers, Barbers, and Elevator Girls. Undoubtedly thousand of others have longed to serve in the same way, but because of female ailments, which had fastened upon them, were not able to do so. Women in this condition should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and find health and strength as thousand of others have done. ADV.

### Part of Roosevelt Fund Raised.

Kansas City, Oct. 30.—Seven Missouri counties — Jackson, Grundy, Atchison, Caldwell, Clinton, DeKalb and Putnam—have raised their allocated portion of the Roosevelt Memorial fund, Arthur M. Hyde, chairman of the Missouri committee, announced.

WANTED—To buy base burner. Call 6114 Hanamo. 30-1

FOR SALE—Fifty head of good western breeding ewes. Quarter mile north of Wilcox, or call 31-17 out of Maryville. 30-1

### He Prescribes for the Feet.

John Napientek, representing the School Manufacturing Company, foot specialists, today started a three-day demonstration visit to the Bee Hive Shoe Store in Maryville. He is making a free examination of feet and suggesting remedies for foot troubles.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

# DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE

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## RED CROSS READY FOR 3RD ROLL CALL

VOLUNTEER SUBSCRIPTIONS URGED BY COMMITTEES IN CHARGE

## MRS. KING TWP. DIRECTOR

**Expect to Begin County-Wide Personal Canvass Sunday Afternoon; Have Your Dollar Out**

Workers in the third Red Cross roll call campaign, Nov. 2 to 11, are all ready to begin their solicitations on the time set. Mrs. F. S. King has been appointed director of the roll call for Polk township and has just about completed her plans for the work.

For many years the Red Cross has had its annual membership campaign. Last year it was at Christmas time, but there were so many other activities both charitable and social at that time that it was determined to have the drive earlier this year, hence the date of Nov. 2 to 11. Enrollment now will give the officers of the organization time to find just where they stand for the coming year before the first of January and will also be of great assistance to the Red Cross Magazine in checking up the renewals and new subscribers before the Christmas rush. The Magazine subscription price is to be raised on January first so that there is an added incentive to renewal at once in addition to the fact that each Magazine subscription puts a substantial percentage into the local treasury.

It would be a matter for regret if the organization which has stood every test during the war should be allowed to fall into decay for lack of an active and interested membership. There is no especial call for funds, as the finances of the organization are in good shape, but it is even more important than money to have the sympathy and support of the entire community. The work of the Red Cross for the coming year will be almost entirely community work — the usual prompt response in case of calamity and disaster; instant action in case of epidemic, and a steady and determined effort to better health conditions throughout the country as a whole.

Fred Wolfers is chairman for Polk township, J. F. Colby is treasurer, and Mrs. F. S. King is director for the roll call. Volunteer subscriptions will be received by any of these and anyone who can volunteer to help get the membership up to 100 per cent can communicate with any one of these officers and receive an enthusiastic welcome. The time is short, but the task should not require a minute over the time it takes to see individauls and write their names down.

Mrs. Ethel Frankum Lord arrived Thursday night from her home in Coronado, Calif., for an extended visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nicholas.

## JACKSON TOWNSHIP SOLDIERS TO BE GIVEN BARBECUE NOV. 11

**Home Folks Plan Big Celebration for War Heroes; E. F. Bishop Chairman of Work**

Ravenwood will hold a big barbecue and celebration on Tuesday, November 11, in honor of the returned soldiers of Jackson township.

Committees on arrangements were named at a mass meeting of the citizens held Monday night at the Ravenwood opera house. The entire township is taking part in the celebration and the soldiers will be given the best time the workers can provide.

E. F. Bishop is chairman of the organization; I. A. Goodson, secretary; W. A. Conn, treasurer, and the following committees have been named:

## MISS BLANCHE DOW CHOSEN TEACHER OF FRENCH AT S. T. C.

**Is Graduate of Smith and Former Instructor at Grand River College at Gallatin**

Miss Blanche Dow, formerly teacher of French at the Grand River College at Gallatin, Mo., has been chosen to a similar position in the State Teachers College.

Miss Dow has been employed during the war period in the office of Ex-Governor Dockery, now third assistant postmaster general at Washington. In addition to her work as instructor of French in the college at Gallatin and other schools, Miss Dow has had considerable experience as a teacher of reading and expression. She is a graduate of Smith College.

**Miss Farrell Still Improving.**

Miss Ella Farrell, who was severely injured in an auto accident Saturday night ,is considerably improved today. Miss Farrell has entirely regained consciousness and her condition today was so much better that if she cotninues improving she will be removed from the hospital tomorrow to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrell, on South Main street.

Miss Grace Ferritor is taking Miss Farrell's work as stenographer in the Chamber of Commerce during the latter's illness. Unless a change should come Miss Farrell's physicians now feel assured of her complete recovery.


### ELECTRIC THEATER

TONIGHT

"Smashing Barriers" Episode No. 6 "Downward to Doom". Also Big "V" Comedy Jazz and Jail Birds.

Night at 7:30-8:45 11c-17c

SATURDAY, NOV. 1st

Eugene O'Brien in "The Perfect Lover" by Leila Burton Wells adapted by Edmund Goulding. A Ralph Ince production. Also Anna Little and Jack Richardson in "The Fatal Return" A two reel western.

Matinee at 2:30-4:10 6c-11c

3 shows at night 7:30, 9:00-10:30 11c-17c


## WARNING

Hallowe'en pranksters and disturbers of the peace are hereby warned that destruction of property, removing of articles from lawns and porches and other like offenses will be cause for arrest and punishment, and police will be on the lookout for offenders.

W. O. GARRETT, Mayor

## Have You a Heart and a Dollar?

If you have—put them both into the American Red Cross and be a member of the greatest humane organization on earth.

Membership drive starts Sunday Nov. 2nd and continues till Tuesday Nov. 11.. Don't let the opportunity pass without calling on your township director or chairman.

ALL YOU NEED IS A HEART AND A DOLLAR

Mrs F. S. King, Polk Township Director, Membership Drive.
Fred Wolfers Polk Township Chairman

## WOMEN TO STUDY LAW AND POLITICS

WILL CONDUCT SCHOOL OF CITIZENSHIP HERE SOON

## ADDRESS BY MRS. JAMES

**First Steps Taken Toward Affiliating With Missouri League of Women Voters**

The first step toward organizing Nodaway county women into a unit of the Missouri League of Women Voters was made yesterday at a meeting held in the First Methodist church to hear an address by Mrs. W. K. James of St. Joseph, one of the most prominent club women and suffragists in the state.

The meeting was sponsored by the Twentieth Century Club, but open to every one. There was a good attendance and considering the bad weather, the number present and the interest shown was very gratifying to the club members through whose efforts Mrs. James wts invited to ocme.

The principal address of the afternoon was made by Mrs. James, who explained the work of the citizenship schools for women which are now being conducted all over the state, and also the vital need of women studying the issues of the day that they might vote intelligently and not blindly. Miss Jessie Parcher also spoke on the duty of women to vote and work for civic righteousness and betterment.

Charles McCaffrey, prosecuting attorney, explained the text of the Missouir laws relating to women's admittance into the school boards, the bill allowing women to become guardians of children or adult persons, and other amendments affecting the civic status of women.

**Plans for Holding School.**

The plans for holding this school of citizenship are not yet formulated, but they will be in charge of the various women's organizations of the city. The sessions will be held down town in a central place and it is expected the state-wide plan will be followed.

This plan is for a five day school with three sessions each day. All the obligations and privileges of a vote-holding population, as regarding national, state and city governments, and the platforms of both political parties, are explained and discussed. The instructors and teachers who have made a study of political and civic issues and they are aided by two lawyers selected from both Democrat and Republican parties to instruct the women on the principles of both parties.

Mrs. James was chairman of the Women's Suffrage Assoication of the first district and this organization is now merged into the Missouri League of Women Voters.

This league is a non-sectarian ,nonpartisan organization of women voters, banded together to study citizenship and to work for better child welfare and health laws and other legislation needed to lift women to an equal voting standard with men.

Mrs. James is a splendid speaker, has served on many of the state women's boards, and while she was not allied with the suffrage movement until the last few years, she has been identified with every movement in the state that has stood for the higher standard of the individual.

**Mrs. Eek Leaves.**

Mrs .Lauris M. Eek left this morning for her home in Chicago after a visit of ten days at the home of her father, N. Sisson.

Mrs. R. E. Thomas returned this morning from a visit in Chicago with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Billings.

## ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF STEALING TWO COWS

**Scott Campbell of Near Guilford Is Brought to Maryville This Morning to Answer Charge**

Scott Campbell, a farmer living between Guilford and Conception Junction, was arrested this morning by Sheriff John Dowden on a charge of stealing two cows from Mrs. Anna Gill, who lives just north of Conception Junction. The alleged offense took place during the night of Oct. 23, according to the information. Campbell is also a buyer and shipper, and it is said thesc cows were shipped with others.

Campbell gave bond for $1,250. His preliminary hearing was set for November 8.

## WILL OF JAMES T. HUGHES FILED IN PROBATE COURT

**Bequests Made to Nieces and Nephews; Paul Sisson Names as the Executor of Estate**

The will of James T. Hughes, who died Oct. 20, was filed in probate court thi smorning. According to the terms of the will ,he bequeathed his thirty-five shares of stock in the Sisson Loan & Title Company to Nat Sisson and Paul Sisson, share and share alike. To his nephew, Paul Sisson, and his niece, Donna Sisson Eek, he gave all of his undivided one-half interests in and to lands known as the Hughes and Sisson lands in Nodaway county.

The following bequests were made: To a niece, Cora Snapp, $1,000; to a nephew, Arthur Snapp, $1,000 ;to a niece, Nellie Snapp Hatcher, $1,000; to a niece ,Gertrude Snapp Pack, $1,000; to his brother-in-law, George W. Snapp, $1,000.

After payment of debts and the expenses of administration and all bequests, all the rest, residue and remainder of the property to his sister, Georgia Hughes Snapp.

Paul Sisson was named executor of the estate.

The will was written on November 28, 1912, and was witnessed by E. G. Orear and Elmer Fraser.

## HUGH LEDGERWOOD, FORMER RESIDENT, DIES AT ATLANTIC

**Lived In This City a Number of Years; Youngest Daughter Ill In St. Francis Hospital**

Hugh Ledgerwood, 61 years old, a former resident of Maryville died yesterday afternoon in a hospital at Atlantic, Iowa, his death following an illness of several months. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Atlantic at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. V. Bailey.

Mr. Ledgerwood is survived by his wife and seven children. They are Arch Ledgerwood of Skidmore, Harry and Eva Ledgerwood of this city, Mrs. L. T. Moss of Owasa, Mich., Ora Ledgerwood of Rifle, Colo., and Mrs. Bailey and Dean Ledgerwood of Atlantic. Mr. Ledgerwood and his wife left Maryville a few years ago and went to Skidmore to live, where they remained until he became ill, and they went to the home of their daughter in Atlantic. All of the family will attend the funeral with the exception of Eva, who is ill in St. Francis hospital here.

**Back From Foreign Service.**

John E. Malvern ,the last of the three Malvern brothers to be released from military service, arrived home Thursday evening of last week and is now becoming acquainted again with civilian clothing and enjoying home cooking as a welcome change from army "slum."

He was a member of the 115th engineers and was in France a little more than a year. His brothers, Corporal Warren H. Malvern and Sergeant E. R. Malvern, were with the 356th Infantry and 636th Aero Squadron respectively. The latter likes the flying game so well that he has decided to follow it as a profession and will go to Kansas City soon to study airplane mehcanics. He became efficient enough as a flyer to be able to make as many as eight "flops" in the air as a pilot without mishap.—Burlington Junction Post.

**Skidmore Ministers Form Alliance.**

The ministers of Skidmore met Tuesday and formed a ministers' alliance into which they hope to affiliate all the ministers of Monroe township. Rev. Hugh McClellan was chosen president and the Rev. H. G. Stewart secretary.

Regular meetings will be held every two weeks, the first one being next Monday afternoon at the Farmers bank of Skidmore.

## LABELED A-1 AT NATIONAL MEET

G. A. PICKENS RETURNS FROM INDIANAPOLIS CONVENTION

## OUR EXHIBIT WINS FAVOR

**Three Hundred Commercial Organization Secretaries Attend; Maryville C. of C. Methods Are Praised**

Nodaway county has become synonymous with community spirit and cooperation all over the United States from, through its showing at the fifth annual meeting of the National Association of Commercial Organization Secretaries, held Oct. 27, 28 and 29 at Indianapolis, Ind., trom which meeting George A. Pickens, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce returned this morning.

"Selling a Community to Itself" was the text for Mr. Pickens' ideas for boosting and advertising the fine things of Nodaway county and an exhibit so labeled was shown in the convention hall. This exhibit was the only one of its kind made at the meeting and it was considered the finest showing ever made of what a Chamber of Commerce may accomplish in building up its community.

A very prominent place in the convention hall was allotted for the exhibit. An imense sign, with the caption, "Selling a Community to Itself" painted in black and red on a white background, with the notice "How the Maryville (Mo.) Chamber of Commerce is advertising Nodaway county to its own people" below, indicated what the showing was. Advertising pages from the Maryville papers, calling attention to the assets and advantages of the county, were hung on the walls and below on tables were spread photographs of the various farm industries, community enterprises, vitalized agriculture methods, etc. Some of these photographs were loaned from the private collections of C. D. & E. F. Caldwell, Burlington Junction, Bellows Bros., and E. Ogden & Son of Maryville and Barber Bros., of Skidmore. The others have been made by Mr. Pickens for the Chamber of Commerce.

There were three hundred secretaries in attendance, representing forty-two states. A great interest was taken in the showing of Nodaway county's progress and many favorable comments made to Mr. Pickens by the others attending. A secretary from Calgary, Canada, took up the plan of work direct with Mr. Pickens with the intention of employing the same methods in his state. There were also plans of community work discussed which were of great benefit to the members attending.

## STATE PRESBYTERIANS PLAN FIGHT AGAINST BOLSHEVISM

**Would Federate All Protestant Churches for Purpose; Synod Meets at St. Louis**

St. Louis, Oct. 31.—A federation of all Protestant churches to fight Bolshevism and as a remedy for industrial unrest was urged at yesterday's session of the Presbyterian Synod of Missouri, in session in North Church. Rev. James Harding Smith of St. Louis declared a combination of all Protestant churches could do much to establish industrail stability and drive out the "Red" evil. Rev. Dr. Winfield M. Cleaveland, the retiring moderator, had previously pleaded for more vigorous and organized church activity to meet the industrial crisis. Rev. Dr. Henry Little of Springfield was elected to succeed Dr. Cleaveland as moderator.

**Letter Society to Hold Sale.**

The Pi Epsilon Pi Sorority will hold a series of home cookery markets, the first to be given Saturday at the Price-McNeal furniture store, opening at 10 o'clock in the morning.

The Pi Epsilon Pi Sorority has twelve members, with Mrs. Will Montgomery official advisor. It was organized October 16. All members, with one execption, are former students of the high school, and it is a local organization and not affiliated in any way with any school. The money earned with these markets will be used for charitable and social purposes. All sorts of good home cooked "eats" will be offered for sale.

Mrs. Robert Conklin underwent an operation for appendicitis last night at St. Francis hospital.

## HOBBS RITES AT CONCEPTION ABBEY THIS MORNING

**Prominent Nodaway County Physician Passes Away; Was Long a Resident of Clyde**

Funeral services for Dr. G. W. Hobbs, who died Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at his home in Clyde, were held at Conception Abbey this morning. Doctor Hobbs had been very ill for several months and death resulted from a complication of diseases. For many years he was a practicing physician in Clyde, but he had retired from practice a number of years ago. He was about 74 years old and was one of the oldest residents of Jefferson township.

## HOT SOUP KITCHEN TO BE OPENED AT TEACHERS COLLEGE

**Children of Demonstration School to Gain Practical Knowledge; Pupils Meet Plan With Enthusiasm**

A soup kitchen, with steaming hot soup served every day at noon day luncheon for the pupils is an innovation to be introduced by the demonstration school of the State Teachers College, beginning next Monday.

The plan, which is being worked out by Miss Beulah Brunner and Miss Mildred Miller, has been enthusiastically received by the students. A cloak room has been fitted up with tables and chairs to be used as a dining room and the children of the demonstration school will do the work under the supervision of the teachers. Those who patronize the soup kitchen will pay 15 cents per week to help pay the cost of operation and each child is expected to bring his own sandwiches for lunch, crockers being furnished with the soup.

The hot lunch plan is receiving much attention among the rural schools and for that reason the outcome of this soup kitchen at the Teachers College will be watched with interest.

**Judge Dawson at Home Tomorrow.**

Judge John M. Dawson who has been sitting as special judge in the case of Samuel E. Graham, who is charged with embezzlement, will return home either this evening or in the morning. The case went to the jury at noon today. Judge Dawson will hold court here tomorrow.

**Mrs. Ellison's Mother Dead.**

Mrs. W. C. Ellison received word yesterday of the death of her mother, Mrs. J. R. Lucas, which occurred in Oak Park, Ill., on Wednesday. Funeral services will be held in Clinton, Mo., tomorrow and George Rob Ellison will leave tonight to attend the services.

**Revival at Wilcox Methodist Church**

Revival meetings will begin at the Methodist church in Wolcix Sunday night. Rev. A. B. Coffman of Avondale, Mo., will assist the pastor, Rev. R. M. Wetzel. Services will be held every night next week beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

**The President Not So Well.**

Washington, Oct. 31.—President Wilson is "wearied" today, Grayson announced this afternoon, and will not be allowed to do any further work today.

**Eurekan Society Program.**

The following program was given yesterday by the Eurekan Literary Society at the State Teachers College:

Reading—Miss Gladys Bookman.

Vocal Solo—Blanche Alexander.

Address—Dr. Fred Keller, instructor in eduaction.

Three students were admitted as members of the society.

**Made Charges Against England.**

Paris, Oct. 31.—Sensational charges of England fomenting trouble in Turkey to crush the nationalist movement and to secure the mandatory for that country now that it appears unlikely that the United States will become the mandatory, were made in the magazine "New Europe," by Ebrnier, a French political worker, who has been studying conditions in Constantinople.

Charles Childress and his father, H. P. Childress, were St. Joseph visitors today.

## MINE OFFICIALS ENJOINED TODAY

FROM ENFORCING STRIKE OF COAL MINERS SET FOR MIDNIGHT

## WILL NOT AVERT STRIKE?

**President Lewis Says Will Only Complicate Matters; Contempt of Court Proceedings Next?**

Indianapolis, Oct. 31.—Officials of themine workers were enjoined from enforcing the strike of the coal miners at midnight under the terms of a temporary restraining order issued by Federal Judge Anderson here today. Unlawful conspiracy to limit the output and facilities of the transportation of coal was charged in the proceedings brought by the department of justice under the terms of the Lever food and fuel control act. Acting President Lewis, Secretary Green and eighty-one others composing the executive board and the scale committee, and the district presidents who are meeting here this week, when they refused the president's plea for the strike order to be recalled, were made defendants. The hearing on the permanent injunction proceedings will be held at an early date.

"The issuance of the injunction will not avert the coal strike nor settle the strike after it has occurred, and only complicates to a further degree the problems involved in the adjustment of the controversy," President Lewis declared this afternoon.

"I regard the injunction as the most sweeping abrogation of the rights of citizens guaranteed under the constitution and defined by statutory law ever to have been issued by any federal court," Lewis asserted.

Washington, Oct. 31.—By unanimous vote the house went on record this afternoon to support the president's action in the coal strike and pledged its support.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Contempt of court proceedings will be brought against the strike leaders if they fail to obey the injunction restraining them from striking, it was learned from the department of pjustice this afternoon.

St. Clairsville, Oct. 31. — The coal strike is already under way in eastern Ohio, sixteen hundred men laying down theirtools in the various mines this morning and the remaining miners to strike this evening.

Wahsington, Oct. 31—President Wilson today issued an executive order restraining the maximum coal prices suspended when the fuel administration ceased their work. The purpose of the order is to prevent profiteering during the period of the impending strike.

Cleveland, Oct. 31.—In order to act speedily in an eleventh hour peace to avert the strike, the coal operators' executive committee will remain in session here until tomorrow night.

Fort Smith, Ark., Oct. 31. — Four thousand men wil lbecome idle and 150 mines in the state will suspend operation as a result of the coal strike, effective at midnight tonight.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 31.—A provisional battalion 800 strong, composed of veterans of the First Division, left today for the coal fields of West Virginia in anticipation of possible disorder attending the strike of miners there. The instruction had come from the headquarters of the Central department at Chicago.

**Weather for Today**

Cloudy and colder tonight; Saturday generally fair, with colder in the extreme east and rising temperature in the northwest portion.


## EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

TONIGHT & SATURDAY

Blanche Sweet, sweet as ever, with an all star cast in Rupert Hughes' astounding story

THE UNPARDONABLE SIN

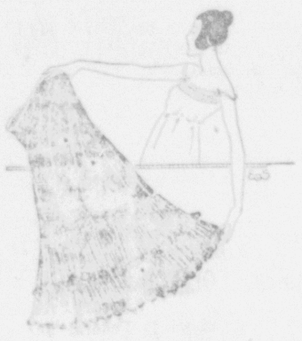
Here is a recital of the love and adventure of two typical Americans. This story has received no adverse criticisms.—Also present Fatty Arbuckle Prices 10c plus 1c. 31c plus 4c.

# NOVEMBER SALES OF HIGH CLASS MERCHANDISE

It is our object every November to close out any broken lines of merchandise after the past few months of heavy selling
You will find now many great reductions on seasonable and useful merchandise at this time.

### PETTICOATS

Here is a chance to save on a new petticoat. An excellent quality mercerized sateen petticoat now only $1.48 and $1.98.



All $ 5.00 silk petticoats now only $4.19
All 7.50 silk petticoats now only 5.85
All 8.75 silk petticoats now only 7.25
All 10.00 silk petticoats now only 8.50

### HOSIERY

Buy your hosiery at this store and get the best stockings sold for the price.

Ladies' fibre silk hose regular 75c quality per pair only 59c

A very special in ladies' silk hose, black white and colors, these hose are cheap at $1.50 per pair, now on sale at only $1.25 per pair

"Phoenix" silk hose, these are the best silk hose to be offered at the prices, $1.35, $1.65, $2.05 and $2.50 per pair

We have a full line of these hose in black, white, brown and gray.

An excellent quality children's school hose sizes 6½ to 9½ at per pair only 39c.

"Rawhide", this hose is specially constructed for boys who are very hard on their stockings, double knees, re-inforced heels and toes, sizes 7½to 10, very special at per pair only 50c.

Girl's extra fine mercerized hose, very special at per pair only 50c and 65c.

### HOUSE DRESSES AND COVER-ALL APRONS

All house dresses and cover-all aprons now at a discount of 20 PER CENT.

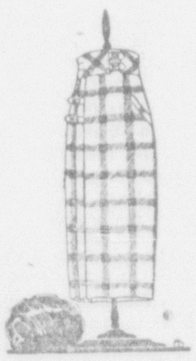
### DRESS GINGHAMS

One lot of beautiful plaid dress ginghams, sun and tub proof, now only per yard 33c

### SKIRTS

Buy a new skirt now at these greatly reduced prices.

All $29.75 skirts now only $22.50
All $25.00 skirts now only $21.50
All $19.75 skirts now only $16.75
All $15.00 skirts now only $11.85
All $12.50 skirts now only $9.85



### CURTAIN MATERIALS

All curtain materials and cretonnes now at 20 PER CENT OFF.

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## CLOAKS

The time to wear a new cloak is now at hand. Here is an opportunity to save on your new coat. Your choice of any ladies' misses' or children's coat now at a reduction of 10 PER CENT.

## LADIES' SUITS

Ladies' suits are now greatly reduced in price. This is a wonderful opportunity to secure a new one of our high class suits at a great saving to you. All our suits are divided now into three lots for quick selling. Your choice of any ladies' suit in our store now selling up to $39.75 will be only $25.00

Your choice of any ladies' suit in our store now selling up to $75.00 will be $43.75

Your choice of any suit in our store now selling up $125.00 will now be only $69.75

At these extremely low prices on suits you can afford to buy an extra one this season.

## WAISTS

Never before in the history of this store have we shown such a wonderful assortment of waists as now.

Don't fail to take advantage of these greatly reduced prices on waists.

$29.75 waists now only $21.50
27.50 waists now only 19.75
22.50 waists now only 17.75
19.75 waists now only 16.75
17.50 waists now only 12.75
15.00 waists now only 11.75
12.50 waists now only 9.85
9.75 waists now only 7.35

## DRESSES

All dresses are now greatly reduced in price.

One lot of fine dresses in all the new materials worth up to $69.50 now only $39.75

All other dresses now being sold at a reduction of 20 PER CENT.

### SILKS

It will pay you to buy silks now at these low prices as they are becoming scarcer and higher in price everyday.

40 inch georgette crepe in the very best quality in all colors at per yard only $2.00

40 inch crepe de chine, good heavy quality in all colors will be per yard only $2.00

36 inch messaline, a good heavy quality in black and all colors now only per yard $2.00

36 inch extra heavy black taffeta, worth $3.00 per yard, this is an extra special at per yard only $2.50

### BLANKETS

Our blanket stock is now complete with all kinds of blankets, both wool and cotton. During these November sales we will sell you any wool or cotton blanket in the house at 10 PER CENT OFF.

### PERCALES

The very best percales, 36 inches wide in a large range of patterns in both light and dark colors, now per yard only 29c

### WOOL DRESS GOODS

Here is a chance for a big saving in wool dress goods.

$1.50 wool dress goods now only $1.29
2.00 wool dress goods now only 1.49
2.50 wool dress goods now only 1.89
3.00 wool dress goods now only 2.35
3.50 wool dress goods now only 2.75

### UNDERWEAR

A good quality ladies' unionsuit, jersey rib bed, fleecy lined, all sizes 34 to 44, very specially low priced at per suit only $1.29

"Athena" unionsuits for winter, the world's best make, the most perfect fitting, the finest yarns are used in the construction of these garments, prices range from $2.00 to $4.50

Good warm unionsuits for children from 2 to 16 years, prices range from 90c to $1.75

### TOILET ARTICLES

Always buy your toielt articles at our Cut Rate Toilet Goods Department and save money

Melba Face Powder ..... 42c
Melbaline Face Powder ..... 22c
Melba Toilet Water ..... 95c
Melba Talcum ..... 22c
Melba Cold Cream ..... 42c
Melba Skin Cleanser ..... 42c
Pompeian Massage Cream ..... 42c
Pompeian Night Cream .... 22c and 35c
Pond's Vanishing Cream ..... 22c
Pond's Cold Cream ..... 22c
Pond's Dental Cream ..... 22c
Kolynos Tooth Paste ..... 22c
Pebecco Tooth Paste ..... 42c
Jave Rice Powder ..... 42c
La Blache Face Powder ..... 59c
Woodbury's Face Powder ..... 22c
Woodbury''s Face Cream ..... 22c
Woodbury's Facial Cream ..... 22c
William's Iridesea Face Powder ..42c
William's Shampoo ..... 35c
William's Face Cream ..... 22c
William's Dental Cream ..... 22c
William's Toilet Water .... 50c and 75c
Wiliam's Shaving Cream ..... 22c
Non Spi ..... 39c
Mum ..... 22c
Odorono ..... 29c and 59c
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream 45c
Mentholatum ..... 22c and 42c
Birt's Head Wash ..... 22c
Cuticura Soap ..... 22c
Resinol Soap ..... 22c
4711 Soap ..... 22c and 50c
Packer's Tar Soap ..... 22c
Cutex Cuticle Remover ..... 29c
Cutex Nail Bleach ..... 29c
Cutex Nail Enamel ..... 29c
Cutex Polishing Paste ..... 29c
Djer Kiss Perfume ..... $1.75
Djer Face Powder ..... 63c
Djer Kiss Talcum Powder ..... 25c
Colgate's Ribbon Dental Cream .... 19c
Colgate's Cold Cream ..... 22c
Colgate's Toilet Water .... 45c and 75c
Colgate's All Round Soap ..... 9c
Mavis Cold Cream ..... 22c
Mavis Talcum ..... 22c
Sempre Glovene ..... 42c
Gouraud's Oriental Cream ..... $1.39
All Vantine Toilet Articles .....20% off
All leading brands of Talcum powder per can ..... 14c

### MIDDIES

All our famous "Jack Tar" middies are now being sold at a discount of 10 PER CENT

### GLOVES

We are now offering a very special in a ladies' chamoisette glove in black, white, brown and gray at per pair only $1.00

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I am now delivering the K. C. Star and Times. Prompt delivery both noon and evening. For orders phone JAMES F. RIGNEY, Han. 98.

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Do you want to get all they are worth? If so let me see your bunch.

E. W. BARROCK, at Cook & Vogts Produce House, South East corner square.


# Social, Clubs Churches

**D. A. R. Meeting.**

The D. A. R. Chapter will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Kurtz, with Mrs. H. L. Raines, Mrs. G. B. Rosberry and Mrs. Dale Bellows as assisting hostesses. Mrs. A. F. Harvey and Miss Beulah Brunner will be the leaders of the program on "New Ideas in Government."

**Entertain Classes.**

The members of the three Sunday school classes of the Christian church taught by Mrs. Laura Biscoe, Miss Marjorie Wilfley and A .S. Robey were entertained at a weiner roast last evening at the church. On account of the inclement weather the affair was changed from the College Park to an indoor picnic supper. Following th supper a movie party at the Electric theatre was enjoyed. The party numbered about forty-five.

**Philomathean Party .**

A Halloween masquerade party was given by the Philomatheans last night in the kindergarten rooms of the State Teachers College. Prizes for the best costumes were awarded to Miss Jennie Blacklock, who was attired as Red Riding Hood, and Harry Nelson, who was disguised as a twelve-year-old boy. A feature of the evening's entertainment was the progressive story, Miss Tessie Degann starting with the first sentence and each person adding a sentenie in turn. Fortunes were told and refreshments of pumpkin pie and cider were served. Dancing concluded a delightful evening. There were thirty-five present, including the following guests, Miss Beatrix Winn, Miss Dow and Coach Rice of the faculty and the members of the football squad.

**Homemakers Halloween Party.**

The members of the Homemakers class of the South Methodist church were hostesses at a Halloween party last night at the church when their husbands and a few friends were guests. Cornstalks, autumn leaves, pumpkins and "spooks" were used in decorating and refreshments of gingerbread and cider were served. Halloween stunts and fortune telling were the entertaining features. Miss Bertha Beal as the fortune teller, Mrs. I. E. Tulloch as the witch and Mrs. R. C. Holliday as ghost, filled their parts especiall well. Mrs. T. H. Leet, Mrs. E. W .Heideman and Mrs. Frank Craig were on the entertainment committee, and assisting them were Mrs. L. P. Colvin ,Mrs. Tulloch, Mrs. Raymond Barry and Mrs. E. T. Dale. About thirty persons were in attendance.

**Mrs. Gray Hostess.**

The Social Hour Club met at the home of Mrs. Theo Gray Wednesday afternoon. Readings were given by Mrs. Murt Morris and Mrs. Rich Spurgeon and a musical program was given by Mrs. Denver Loch. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Charley Fakes. Those in attendance included Mrs. Edgar Houston, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. Denver Loch and son, Loren, Mrs. Pat Scott, Mrs. George Porterfield, Mrs. Ella McMullin, Mrs. Roy McMullin and daughter, Eva Laverne, Mrs. Rich Spurgeon, Mrs. Zone Loch, Mrs. Art Wilson and daughters, Verlene and Dorothy, Mrs. Will Spangler, Mrs. Murt Morris, Mrs. Otis Faulconer, Misses Annice Scott, Tressie King, and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jim Hanna.

**Penelope Club Party.**

The members of the Penelope Club entertained their husbands and a few friends at a Halloween party last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hopper on West Second street. Upon their arrival the guests were met at the door by three spooks. The early part of the evening was spent in telling ghost stories and Halloween stunts after which progressive dominoes were enjoyed. The prize was awarded Mrs. H. S. Dowell. The Hopper home was attractively decorated with autumn leaves and jack-o'-lanterns and the refreshments were suggestive of Halloween. Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mrs. D. R. Baker and Mrs. Byron Frost were on the committee in charge of the affair. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gaugh, Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Costello, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. John Price and daughter, Miss Matie Price, Mayor and Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Braniger, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. Omer Catterson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ford and Miriam Catterson.

**Women's Relief Corps.**

The Women's Relief Corps will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the hall. Every member is urged to be present as business matters of importance will be considered.

**P. E. O. Organizer Here.**

Miss Nelle Sutton of Bethany, Mo., came today from Maitland to inspect the local chapter of the P. E. O. Sisterhood. Miss Sutton is the state organizer of the Sisterhood and every chapter is inspected once in three years. Inspection will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Arch Frank, with Mrs. J. D. Richey as assisting hostess. Miss Sutton will go to Hopkins tonight to inspect the chapter there.

**Miss Matteson Weds.**

Carl Hern, son of C. A. Hern of Worth, Mo., and Miss Helen Matteson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matteson of Grant City, were married Tuesday, Oct. 21, at Artesia, New Mexico. The bride had been visiting there for sometime with her sister.

Mr. Hern is a young farmer living near Worth, Mo. He has lived there all his life and is an excellent young man of a good family. Miss Helen Matteson has lived in Grant City all her life. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matteson, who are among our best people. She is a graduate of the Grant City high school and has recently been teaching in the public schools of this county. Both of these young people are highly respected by all who know them and the Times joins their many friends in extending congratulations. They will make their home at the farm near Worth—Worth County Times.

The bride is a sister of Mrs. Fred Hull of this city and is well known here, having attended the State Teachers College a few years ago.

**Surprise Mrs. Smith.**

Mrs. O. E. Smith of Ravenwood was the honor guest yesterday afternoon at an enjoyable surprise party tendered her by forty-eight friends at the Odd Fellows Halls in Ravenwood. The affair was a farewell courtesy to Mrs. Smith as she and Mrs. Smith will leave soon for their new home in California. The visitors brought a Halloween luncheon which was served at the conclusion of the afternoon's entertainment.

**Elks Dance.**

The first social function of the winter season at the Elks Club was the Halloween card party and dance given last night. The affair was for the members and their families and friends Six hand euchre was played until 9:30 o'clock and the favors were won by Mrs .W. C. Pierce and Rodney Hamblin. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing, Schumacher's orchestra furnishing the music. Following the fourth number there was an intermission of fifteen minutes for refreshments of doughnuts, pumpkin pie, cider and coffee which were served cafeteria style. The ballroom was attractively decorated with cornstalks and jack o' lanterns. In the center of the room was a shock through the top of which shone a Harvest moon and the base of which was surrounded with pumpkins. On a raised platform at the east end of the room was a witch and her cauldron. The affair was largely attended and was one of the most enjoyable parties ever given at the club.


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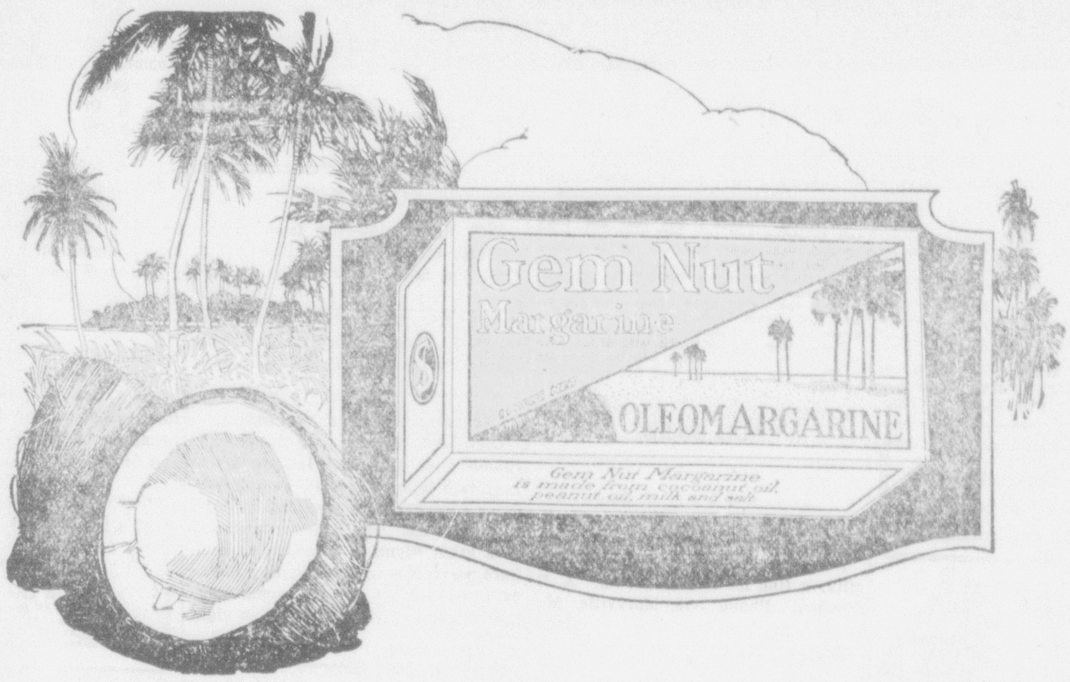


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Fresh and Cured Meats

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Our market is new, clean and sanitary and will be kept that way. Our meats are displayed in the most modern refrigerator cases, acknowledged to be the best known method of keeping and displaying meats.

We ask a share of your patronage on the strength of these facts and also on the merit of our meats and our fair prices, as follows:

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| Fresh Pigs Feet, per lb | 12c | Swift's Premium skinned hams, whole, per lb | 35c |
| Fresh Pork Hearts, per lb | 13c | sliced, per lb | 40c |
| Fresh Ox Tails, per lb | 12c | Swift's Premium Regular Hams, lb | 35c |
| Fresh Pig Tails, per lb | 17c | Swift's Premium Bacon, lb | 50c |
| Short Cut Beef Tongue, per lb | 35c | Swift's Empire Bacon, lb | 40c |
| Veal Steak per lb | 32c | Dry Salt Sides, lb | 28c |
| Veal Roasts, per lb | 22c | Pickled Pigs Feet, per lb | 15c |
| Veal Breast, per lb | 17c | Pickled Tripe, per lb | 5c |
| Loin Beef Steak, per lb | 32c | Pork Chops, per lb | 37c |
| Round Beef Steak, per lb | 32c | Fresh Boneless Butts, per lb | 33c |
| Beef Roasts, per lb | 22c | Fresh Spare Ribs, per lb | 23c |
| Rib Boiling Meat, per lb | 12c | Fresh Side Meat, per lb | 28c |
| Beef Tenderloin, per lb | 40c | Fresh Pork Ham Roasts, per lb | 32c |
| Roll Roasts, per lb | 25c | | |
| Fresh Pork Shoulder Roasts, lb | 28c | | |

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FOR SALE—Choice White Plymouth Rock Cockerals, from trap nested stock 200 egg strain. Adah Garrett, Clearmonth. 25-31*

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FOR SALE—Favorite hard coal burner. Inquire at Nick Sturm residence. 29-31*

CABBAGE FOR KRAUT, 2½c per lb. Also some Early Ohio potatoes. A. W. Frazee. Farmers 144. 31-3*

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### MISCELLANEOUS

TIRES! TIRES! TIRES—Michelin Racine, Goodyear, Goodrich, Unite States and Ajax at Johnson's Garage Pickering. O3t

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NOTICE—Can repair your auto curtains with ising glass. Wm. Gilbert, Kane Bldg. 29-31*

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping or furnished house.

WANTED—To buy base burner. Cal 6114 Hanamo. 30-1

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WANTED TO RENT—One large or two small furnished rooms. Close in. Inquire at this office. 31-3*

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WANTED—Girls at Basford Cigar Company. 30-1

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FOR RENT—160-acre farm east of Bedford, Ia. Write C. W. Power, 1123 First Ave. East, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. 30-31*

FOR RENT—2 office rooms, over Gaugh & Evans, South Side of Square. Inquire of Gaugh & Evans. O 13tf.

**Round-up of Anarchist Leaders.**

Cleveland, Otc. 31.—A nation-wide round-up of anarchist leaders is expected to follow the visit here of Wil today that Flynn is planning to come secret service. The police was advised toda ythat Flynn is planning to come here personally to investigate evidence gathered against alleged bomb plotters which so far has resulted in eight arrests.


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To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days, you must keep your body free from poisonous wastes. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets (a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil) act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effect. Take one nightly and note results.

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When the breath is bad and the appetite disordered, Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy needed. It purifies the stomach, liver and bowels, sweetens the breath, promotes vigor and cheerfulness. Price $1.25 per bottle. Maryville Drug Co., special agents. (Adv)

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Mrs. L. E. Gault and Children.

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## MARKET REPORTS

**MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH**

Chicago, Oct. 31 — Cattle receipts 10,000; hogs 18,000; sheep 12,000.

St. Joseph, Oct. 31.—Cattle receipts 2,000; steady. Hog receipts 1,500; top $14.20; 15c higher. Sheep receipts 2,500; steady.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 31.—Cattle receipts 3,000; steers $9 to $16; sows $8 to $12. Hogs 5,500; top $14.10; bulk $13.65 to $13.90

Kansas City, Oct., 31.—December corn $1.28; May corn $1.23 3-4.

**PRODUCE MARKET.**

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| Eggs, per doz. | 50c |
| Hens, per lb. | 18c |
| Springs, per lb. | 16c |
| Butterfat, per lb. | 68c |
| Hides, per lb. | 23c |
| Cocks, per lb | 15c |
| Geese, per pound | 12c |
| Old Cocks, per lb. | 10c |

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"Wizard" floor mops at ..... $1.00 and $1.50

"Wizard" polish a bottle ..... 50c

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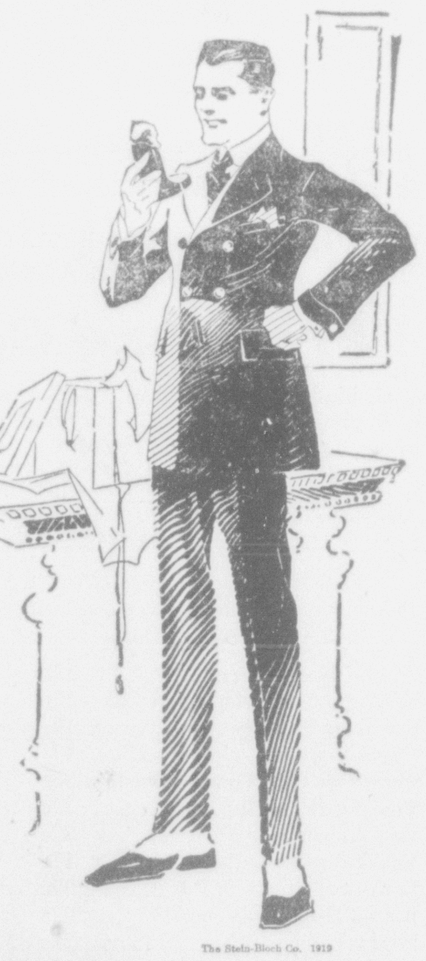

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